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Business Directory.

BEAVER.

J. F. DUNLAP,
ey at Law. Office in the Court House, , Pa. All business promptly attended to. (may5'72.1y.

KINDS OF JOB WORK neatly and expe- ously executed at the Argus office.

BLAINE, Physician and Surgeon. Office late Dr. Geo. Allison, Third street, may-6m.

CHANDLER, Dentist, office over Mr. Thos. son's store, Beaver, Pa. Great care all operations, and warranted to give Give me a call. mar27-1y.

CAMERON, Attorney at Law, Beaver, office on 3d st., in the rooms formerly oc by the Judge Cunningham. All busi- to him will receive *prompt* and je21;1y

YOUNG, Attorney at Law. Office and Third st., east of the Court House. promptly attended to. ap27;1y

McCREERY, Attorney at Law. Office on st., below the Court House. All busi- attended to. je22, '70tf

KUHN, Attorney at Law. Office east of Third street, Beaver, Pa. mar30;70;1y

McNUTT, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention paid to treatment of Female Residence and office on Third street, ors west of the Court House. apr12'71;1y

ENRY MERZ, Manufacturer and Dealer in s, Shoes and Gaiters; Main st. [sep28;1y

AVER DRUG STORE, Hugo Andriessen & Apothecary, Main st. Prescrip- compounded. (sep28;1y

NEW BRIGHTON.

AS. COATE, Dealer in paints, oil, glass, nails, e-glass, looking-glasses, frames, garden ower-seeds and fancy fowls. Falls street, Brighton. sep27'71-1y

ENER & BINGHAM, manufacturers of car buggies, spring-wagons, buck-wag of every description, Bridge St. Successors to George mar6ly

LANGNECKER, dealer in Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Repairing neatly executed, way, near Falls-st. nov1'71-1y

NIPPERT, Baker & Confectioner; Ice- Oysters and Game in season. Balls, &c., supplied. nov1

SMITH opposite *Press* office, Broadway, the best building hardware, glass, which he furnishes to contractors cheap for cash. oct25 71-1y

METZ, Bridge street, dealers in fresh fat cattle, will visit Beaver on Thursday and Saturday of each week oct25'71-1y

HARD- Dry-Goods, Groceries, Notions ware, &c. Highest price for good but- e generally. Opposite Presbyteri- Broadway [sep27'71-1y

ER, Watchmaker, Jeweler and Op- Broadway sep27'71 1y

McDONALD Dealer in Fine Teas, Family Groceries, Queensware, Glass- ware, Willow ware, &c. Broad sep27'71-1y

TTLE, M. D.—222 Broadway, New- makes the treatment of chronic dis- female weaknesses a specialty. Con- to the poor every Sunday from 1 to 3 sep27'71 1y

AIN Photograph Gallery. Every va- of Pictures neatly executed. Corner of Broadway, New Brighton [sep27

WALLACE, Dealer in Italian & American Manufactures Monuments, Grave- abs at reasonable prices. Railroad st., Depot, New Brighton. [sep27

B. MILLS, Billiards, Tobacco, Cigars Gents Furnishing Goods, Broadway, sep27'71 1y

STEAD & HARTZOG, Dealers in Boots, oes & Gaiters, near Siemon's Confection- Broadway. je21;y

TON RESTAURANT and EATING SA- meales at all hours, table supplied with acies of the season. Prices low. Wm. cor. of Paul and Broadway. my24'71 1y

MOUNT NURSERIES.—Ever- small Fruits. Three miles East of (mr29 71 1y) E. THOMAS

HILLAND & KERR, Druggists cor. Broadway and Falls Pa. Successors to L. B. No- feb22'71-1y

MON Bakery & Confectionery. Special attention given to wed- s and ice-cream [sep14 1y

NBERG, Merchant Tailor.— Brighton. See adv. [sep14;1y

Wilson's Block, graphs from re-touch- (sep14.1y

Wall Paper, Window & Notions; Broad- [sep21.1y

BEAVER FALLS.

ROBERTSON Dealer in the justly cele- *Domestic* Sewing Machine. Ladies Main st., B. Falls. (sep27

& SON, Dealers in Yankee No- Main St., Beaver Falls. sep13;1y

BRIDGEWATER.

MAN, Manufacturer Bridge St. Bridgewater (sep27.1y

ER dealer in Coal of all kinds. McKinley's Run. au29'71 1y

EGGER, House and Sign Pain- St., Bridgewater, Pa. apr12'71.1y

M, Bridge street, Bridgewater, Pa. Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Silver-Ware, Spectacles, &c. Watch Jewelry repaired [feb15 71 1y

MILLER, Fashionable Tailor. None enced workmen employed. Shop Bridgewater, Pa. feb15 71 1y

PORTER Tinner. Dealer in Tin, Cop- Iron ware, and Iron Cistern Bridgewater (sep14;1y

EST Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Furs, Cloths and Trimmings. Bridge Pa. sep14 1y

ROCHESTER.

H & CO., Fancy Dry Goods, No- Millinery. Madison st., near D sep14.1y

NG, German Apothecary & Drug Diamond, near Post office. Pre- carefully compounded. feb28.1y

SCHLELEIN, Agent.—Bakery and onery, Oysters and Ice cream in season given to supplying Parties, Weddings on short notice. Diamond.

RISBIN, Millinery, Fashionable Dress & Ladies' Furnishing Goods. First Cross Store, New York st. nov1

M BOYD, Manufacturer of Wagons, Buggies, Spring-wagons, Sulkeys, ing and Horseshoeing done in Rochester, Pa. [aug 1y

& LINNENBRINK, Dealers in Groceries, Flour, and Mill Feed of Brighton & Adams streets, sept 13 1y

JENKINS, Dealer in Boots, Shoes & Gai- agents for Singer's Sewing machine, R. R. St. Rochester (feb22.1y

New work of to order. All work Prices Low. Rochester Pa. jan18 1y

LAPP Dealer in above Factory (sep14 1y

HANNEN Druggist. Prescrip- Water st. Ro- (sep14.1y

ER & SONS, & Retail Dry Goods Feed, Grain, Iron & Nails & James sts.

ER & CO. Contractors and Builders, facturers of Sash, Doors, Shutters &c. Lath &c. Rochester [sep21.1y

DOYLE & WILLIAMS, Successors to Dealers in Sawed and Planed Shingles, Rochester. sep5.1y

LIVERY STABLE & COAL YARD, and Ohio river. oct19.1y

& CLARK, proprietors of Johnston accommodations and good sta- 23.1y

Stoves neatly Diamond, Rochester, Pa. oct19.1y

ALLEGHENY CITY.

WINANS, Electrical Physician: Chronic s made a specialty. Office, 187 Wash Allegheny City, Pa. [sep14;1y

VANPORT.

ORNELIUS & CO.—Dealers in General Dry-Goods, Groceries, Queens- Highest price paid for country pro- au10.1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

SNEAD, Freedom, Beaver county, Pa. n Sawed and Planed Lumber of all and Barges built to order. jan9'71 1y

HORNILEY, Manufacturer of the Great Cooking Stove, and Patentee of Por- ton top and centre. Fallston, Pa.

D. CONE, M. D., Late of Darlington, removed to New-Brighton, offers his in all its branches, to the people surrounding country. Office cor- er and Broadway. sep15;1v

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INSERTED TO AND LOOK LIKE THE NATURAL EYE,

No Cutting or Pain Whatever.

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Miscellaneous.

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The Best Goods at Lowest Prices.

Goods sent to any address, on approval. may24 1y

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Stock of

NEW GOODS,

FROM THE EAST, bought at

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CONSISTING OF

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GROCERIES,

BOOTS & SHOES,

HATS & CAPS,

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HOLLOWARE,

ROPE AND OAKUM,

FAHNESTOCK'S,

And the First National

WHITE LEADS,

PAINTS.

DRY AND IN OIL;

AND A LARGE STOCK of OIL.

ALSO,

144 BARRELS

CANTON CITY Flour.

ALSO,

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ALSO,

15 HOGSHEADS New Orleans SUGAR;

ALSO,

50 BARRELS N. O. MOLASSES

ALSO,

150 *KEGS WHEELING NAILS;*

ALSO,

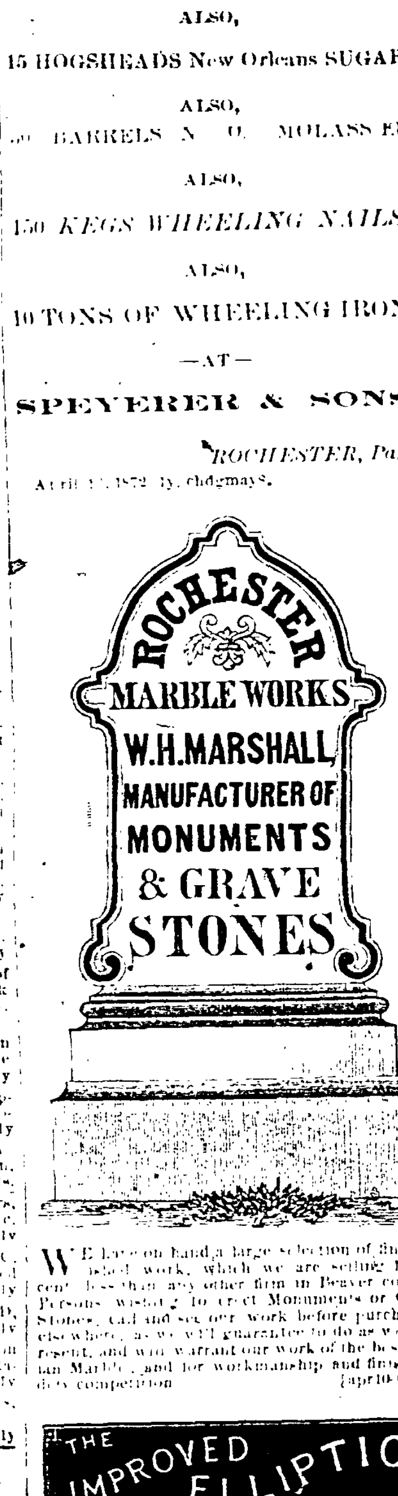
10 TONS OF WHEELING IRON,

—AT—

SPEYERER & SONS.

ROCHESTER, Pa.

April 17, 1872 1y. chdgmay8.



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and in such a manner as will please his customers.

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ANILINE DYES OF ALL COLORS;

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A Large Assortment of

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Watches, Diamonds, Silver & Plated-Ware, Seth Thomas' Clocks,

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DRY GOODS

Steubenville Jeans,
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White Woolen Blankets,
White and Colored and
Barred Flannels,
Merinos,
Delaines,
Plaids,
Ginghams,
Cobergs,
Lawns,
Water Proofs,
Chinchilia,
Cloths,
Woolen Shawls,
Brown and Black Muslins,
Drilling, Tickings,
Prints,
Canton
Flannels,
Jaconets,
Table Linen,
Irish Linen,
Crash,
Counterpanes,
Hoisery,
Gloves,
& Mits.

Groceries

Coffee, Teas, Sugar, Molasses, White Silver Drips, Golden and Common Syrups, Mackerel in barrels and kits, Star and Tallow Candles, Soap, Spices and Mince Meat. Also, SALT

Hardware, Nails, Glass,

Door Locks, Door Latches, Hinges, Screws, Table Cutlery, Table and Tea Spoons, Sleigh Bells, Coal Boxes, Fire Shovels and Pokers, Nails and Glass, Spades, Shovels, 2, 3 and 4 Tine Forks, Rakes, Scythes and Snaths, Corn and Garden Hoes

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Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Butter Prints and Ladles

CARBON OIL,

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LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDRENS' SHOES,

in great variety

Rifle Powder and Shot,

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All heavy goods delivered free of charge. By close attention to business, and by keeping constantly on hand a well assorted stock of goods of all the different kinds usually kept in a country store, the undersigned hopes in the future as in the past to merit and receive a liberal share of the public patronage.

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Newels, Balusters, Hand Rails, with all *joints cut* and *bolted*, ready to hang furnished on short notice. WILLIAM PEOPLES.

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may3tf.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Estate of Robert Darragh, deceased.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Robert Darragh, deceased, late of the borough of Bridgewater, in the county of Beaver, and State of Pennsylvania, having been granted to the subscribers, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby requested to make known the same to the undersigned without delay.

HIRAM STOWE,
MATTISON DARRAGH, } Ex'rs
aug10;6w

No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and the vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

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Railroads.

RAILROADS.—PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY.—Condensed Time Table from June 21, 1872.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Fst Ex	No. 5. Mail.	No. 7 PacEx	No. 3. Nit Ex
Pittsburgh	145AM	710AM	930AM	230PM
Rochester	252	845	1042	338
Alliance	505	1145	135PM	615
Orrville	633	153PM	323	747
Mansfield	835	422	535	942
Crestline A	905	500	610	1010
Crestline D	930	610AM	635	1020
Forest	1053	750	828	1143
Lima	1152	900	950	1243AM
Fort Wayne	210PM	1140	1230AM	255
Plymouth	417	235PM	305	510
Chicago	720	630	650	820

TRAINS GOING EAST

STATIONS.	No. 8. Mail.	No 2. Fst Ex	No. 6 PacEx	No. 4. Nit Ex
Chicago	520AM	820AM	535PM	920PM
Plymouth	910	1103	905	1240AM
Fort Wayne	1205PM	125PM	135	315
Lima	225	315	112AM	505
Forest	343	414	250	620
Crestline A	520	530	420	800
Crestline D	1130AM	550	430	825
Mansfield	1206PM	618	500	900
Orrville	225	812	700	1108
Alliance	440	950	850	110PM
Rochester	717	1154AM	1105	329
Pittsburgh	835	100	1210PM	435

☞ No. 1 daily except Monday; Nos. 5, 7, 8 & 2, daily, except Sunday; Nos. 3 & 6, daily. No 4 daily, except Saturday and Sunday

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

On and after June 2d, 1872, trains will leave Stations daily (Sundays excepted) as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM
Cleveland	845AM	1215PM	355PM
Hudson	1000	124	505
Ravenna	1030	155	532
Alliance	1130	234	617
Bayard	1202PM	302	
Wellsville	135	421	
Pittsburgh	400	640	

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM.
Pittsburgh	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Wellsville	900	105	
Bayard	1035	521	
Alliance	1125	557	725AM
Ravenna	1225PM	631	[illegible]
Hudson	1253	700	[illegible]
Cleveland	210	800	101[illegible]

Leaves.	Arrives.
N. Philadelphia 6,10 a.m.	Bayard 9.45 a. m.
Bayard 12.10 p. m	N. Philadelphia 3:00 p.m.

RIVER DIVISION

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	ACCOM	MAIL.	EXP'S	ACCOM
Bellair	545AM		200PM	[illegible]PM
Bridgeport	555		210	420
Steubenville	700		315	540
Wellsville	815	155PM	440	
Rochester	930	255	535	
Pittsburgh	1040	400	640	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM	ACCOM
Pittsburgh	620AM	210PM	500PM	
Rochester	740	310	605	
Wellsville	850	410	7[illegible]	
Steubenville	945	502		
Bridgeport	1045	538		
Bellair	1100	610		

F. R. MYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent

Miscellaneous.

1872. Spring and Summer. 1872.

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J. H. BORLAND'S,

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Having purchased the territorial interest of Mr. J. C. Anderson, owner of the several patents covering certain improvements in the construction and joining of weatherboards and linings for houses and other buildings, we are the only persons authorized to make and sell the same within the limits of Beaver county. Parties interested will please observe this.

Carpenters' Supplies Constantly Kept on Hand.

Every manner of Shop-Work made to order. oct4;1y

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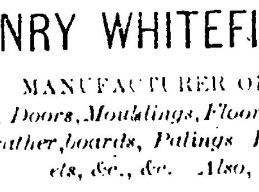

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THE undersigned are manufacturing Chimney Tops, all Sizes, Plain and fancy. They have all the facilities for making a No. 1 article, and respectfully solicit the patronage of the public.

S. J. JOHNSTON & SON,
may29'72tf.] Vanport, Pa.

Gold & Silver Watches.

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Waltham Watch Company's Watches,

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United States (Marion) Watches,

At Lowest cash Prices:

NEW STYLES LADIES' GOLD WATCHES,

Gold Opera and Guard Chains,

CHOICE STOCK of FINE JEWELRY,

Sterling Silver Ware,

BRONZES AND FINE CLOCKS,

STANDARD

SILVER PLATED WARE,

American Clocks,

SPECTACLES and EYE GLASSES.

E. P. ROBERTS,

No. 22 Fifth Avenue,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Special inducements to customers from a distance [nov15-1y;chdgapr 17.

SELECT MISCELLANY.

Correspondence of the Beaver Argus:

INDEPENDENCE.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., July, 30, 1872.

Harrassed and persecuted for many months by uncompromising enemies, whose antipathy was incurred by a disparity in the accepted belief of the teachings of Christ; spurned and scoffed at by professed Christians—many of whom in our day make the cloak of sanctity a covering for their iniquitous pursuits;—overwhelmed by the very compeers of those who persecuted Martin Luther—too ignorant to be characterized as Atheists; too unmindful and reckless to don the flimsey guise of Christian faith, the Mormons, under Joe Smith, finally succumbed to their uncertain fate, left their rudimentary homes and tabernacle at Nauvoo, nearly opposite Keokuk, in Illinois, and crossed the Great River at St. Louis.

Over twelve hundred years before Mahomet had fled the wrath of his kinsmen at Mecca, to attain the most dizzy height of prophetical glory, "*Allah il Allah, Mahammed resone Allah,*" was the sum and substance of the belief of a score of effete opium-smokers who had been converted to the religion of his authorship, and the jargon of the Koran, was the base whereon was founded the belief of the persecuted Mormons. "There is but one God and Smith is his prophet." Like the prophet of Mecca, the inspiration came upon him in the solitude of space; like him, he received inspirations from the spiritual fountain-head; and, like his olden-time prototype, had to suffer persecutions for introducing his new and novel ideas on a Christian world.

It would be difficult to conceive what hardships and privations these earnest believers in a new-born faith were subjected to in their march of hundreds of miles through the wilds and fastnesses of Missouri, with predatory enemies, red-skinned and white, to contend with on every hand, while they themselves were mostly from eastern homes of comparative ease and comfort. On a sultry July afternoon, having traveled over four hundred miles, they pitched their tents on a low, marshy spot, a few miles from the present site of Independence, county-seat of Jackson Co., Mo., and near the river Missouri; on the following morning at sunrise, having previously selected a spot on the highlands whereon to locate, they moved up to occupy these grounds, there to rear the infant faith for which many of them had sacrificed happy homes and domestic felicity. A tabernacle—always their first ambition—was commenced, at the proper season cereals were deposited in the ground, and for a period they lived comparatively free from molestation of any kind. The sad effects of the long journey through a wild and intractable wilderness was painfully manifested in the haggard and tattered appearance of these fugitives from the wrath of their fellow-countrymen. But health and spirits rapidly revived under the bright prospects now opened to them, and a spirit of energy and thrift began to be apparent that afterwards found a reward in the Salt Lake Valley.

This state of things lasted but a short time, however. Their envious persecutors—the Vandals who dogged their footsteps, tearing down as fast as they could build up, bringing ruin and starvation in their midst—were keen-scented, and hunted them down even here. Predatory incursions were made, habitations burned, horses and cattle carried off, and their resources and dependencies crippled and laid waste. Their neighboring opponents were too numerous to be met in open conflict, and even if such had not been the case, the Governor of the proud commonwealth of Missouri, about this time, issued a quaint and unique order calling out 2,500 militia to protect the laws of the State from infringement by a handfull of destitute people, whom had they been roasted and served up in the most fastidious Cannibal style, would not have made a square meal for such a force. Hence the only subterfuge of escape for the mormons, was to flee the country, which they did, and, we may conjecture, greatly disheartened by so many misfortunes following in quick succession. Leaving what afterwards became Independence, they turned their heads to the Northwest, seeking a more congenial retreat on the western border of the State of Iowa.

From this time Independence began to be mentioned as a town of some importance, consequent upon the establishment there of a furnishing post, for supplying the outfits of fur companies and free trappers, her traders receiving in exchange for the necessaries of life furs and gold-dust. Heretofore this branch of trade had been mainly monopolized by St. Louis, but as it increased in magnitude other branches sprung up, graduating toward the mountains, and at the time of which we write Independence was the furthest outlying post on the Missouri river. The American and Rocky Mountain fur companies withdrew their supplies from the Mississippi to this base, and henceforth Independence continued a steady and substantial growth, until the Queen City of the Missouri valley sprang up, like a mushroom, in a single night, when she succumbed to the superior prowess of her mistress, and tottered gradually from youthful vigor into decrepit old age, and at the breaking out of the rebellion, the town would have been taken to be much older than it really was.

In the Spring of 1821, Kit Carson, with a party of travelers en route to Santa Fe, left here, and in an encounter with three hundred Pawnee Indians distinguished himself and began his career as a famous Indian fighter; and the first United States Mail that ever crossed the border left in July, 1850, the route lying through a wild and generally unknown country to Santa Fe, New Mexico, and Salt Lake City. Ultimately, when newer and more convenient posts farther up the Muddy had drawn away her trade of fur and specie, she was established on a firm and lasting basis, drawing the wealth of an extensive and magnificent furring country, and reaping the manifold benefits of slave labor. Those of the old settlers who had become accustomed to the wild, free life of the frontier town, for whom the conventionalities and restrictions of a more settled state of society had no attractive features, moved westward, with "the star of Empire," giving place to the "chivalrous" Virginians and the proud and haughty sons of the South, acclimated as they were to colored servitude and the exercise of imperious command; and when the maelstrom of war engulfed the thinning town we find her composed of a thoroughly and severely aristocratic population, unanimous in taking sides with the seceding States.

Occupied one day by the Rebels, and on the next by Federal soldiers; in a continual cross-fire; with the Northern and Southern emblematic colors forever oscisillating on her steeples, the war in Missouri was well calculated to accelerate and thoroughly accomplish a retrograde progress in her growth already feared from the proximity of the collossal city of Kansas growing up under her very most ultra, and extreme sentiments of sectional wars and internal strife, she lost all the prestige gained in the peltry traffic, and afterwards in slave labor, and bid fair if not swallowed up and perpetuated by Kansas city, to mingle her dust with that of the departed Quindaro.

Many interesting reminiscences of the war in and around Independence are related with zest by the inhabitants of to-day. From the deep valleys and dark gorges bushwhackers would spot unwary foes, and guerrillas make flying incursions into the surrounding towns, carrying off plunder amid the wildest panic of women and children, and finding a convenient and comparatively safe retreat in the depths of the intricate hazel bush and dark forests. The whole southwestern portion of the State was swarming with detached squads fighting under a mythical flag; enemies to all men, and leaving a broad track of desolation wherever their marauding expeditions led them. The principal stamping ground and general rallying point of these migratory bodies, was in the gloom of a pestilential swamp, near the bank of the Blue River, a beautiful limpid stream midway between Kansas City and Independence, fringed with a thick jungle of hazel and a taller growth of maple, beach, and cottonwood. Here the wild and undisciplined men, owning no allegiance, caroused unmolested and divided their spoil, making sallies forth whenever the spirit of daring or appetite for adventure moved them.

Near this spot, where a light wooden bridge spans the narrow river, was enacted one of the most horrid and blood-curdling tragedies ever recorded, and which only found its parallel in a brother's revenge—prompt and terrible. Captain L——, of the Federal forces, under charge of a squad consisting of ten soldiers, and conveying two rebel prisoners from Independence to Kansas City was attacked in the dusk of the evening while crossing the bridge, by a superior force of Rebels. In the first volley fired the Captain fell severely wounded, and although his men immediately threw down their arms and virtually surrendered, the Fort Pillow massacre was re-enacted; and when the work of blood was finished the bridge was fired, the well-seasoned timber sending up a lurid glare, and the dead and the wounded were consumed in the flames, after first having been stripped of clothes and valuables.

A younger brother of Captain L.'s served in the rebel army operating in Missouri; between them had existed no outward token of friendship since a question of principle had impelled them to pursue different paths. Learning of his brother's inhuman death and at whose hands, love of kindred asserted itself, and his grief was frantic. A furlough was procured and he started on a mission of revenge—a revenge, as he told me afterwards, in a broken voice—that would have caused the object of his hatred to waft his spirit to perdition with a little powder and lead, had he dreamed it was so inevitable. On the bank of the Tomahawk, a stream about as wide as the Two-mile Run, tributary to the Marias des Cygnes, (Marsh of the Swans) the opportunity for which he had devoutly prayed was presented, and the man whom he held accountable for his brother's horrible death was completely in his power. Quietly drinking his horse at the brook the murderer had no thought that his end was so near, until a pistol shot and a crimson stream from his right back sent him reeling out of saddle. The wounded man was senseless, but that was of no consequence.

Perhaps Captain L. was senseless when the flames licked his limbs at the Blue. The avenger dragged him up on the little corduroy pile that served as a bridge, and the sun must have grown darker as he set fire to it, and left the unfortunate man to singe in the flames.

Near the ambitious little town of Le Roy, in southern Kansas, and on the verge of that most beautiful of all western rivers—the Neosho—down where its transparent current sweeps swiftly beneath the drooping boughs of giant forest trees, Walter L—— has his cabin and his home. A year ago, while perambulating through that romantic corner of the Union, we chanced to become acquainted; at his earnest solicitation I accompanied him home, and while his young wife—a buxom Ohio girl—was preparing the traditionary slap-jacks and pork, he took from a peg in the wall a pair of heavy cavalry spurred boots, and led the way out to a rude bench at the water's edge. The boots, he explained, were taken from the feet of the murderer of his brother, just previous to his death, and he carefully preserved them as mementoes of that event. He then proceeded to narrate what is written above, of which I might say—in the way of qualification—

> "I do not know how true it may be;
> I tell the tale as it was told to me."

PEEGE.

A STUDENT'S STORY.

Yes, medical students once in a while have an adventure. Sometimes it is no more than a shy flirtation with the rosy-cheeked damsel across the way, who rewards our pantomimic devotion by throwing us shy kisses from the pink tips of her taper fingers. Then, again, it may be a student's quarrel, a hasty challenge and, mayhap, if the parties have not the good nature or moral courage to settle the dispute before-hand, a veritable duel, conducted with all due secresy, and usually ending in two shots fired at random, a reconciliation, and a strict preservation of the whole occurrence from the surveillance of the College Faculty. Or, as in the instance I propose to relate, one may be visited by a terrible experience, such as comes to a man only once, or twice, in a whole lifetime—to some, perhaps never.

Our University at the time to which I refer, was comparitively a new institution, and the medical department in its infancy; though through the efforts of certain liberal and enterprising men of note in our profession was making rapid strides in the way of advancement and competition with At that time I was [illegible] junior year, and looking eagerly forward to my hard-earned diploma at the conclusion of my two years' of laborious study, it was my design to pay special attention to the two branches, anatomy and surgery; but unfortunately for my desired researches, our dearth of "subjects" gave little opportunity for those practical experiments, without which theory, though at one's tongue's end, is but a sorry recompense.

I suppose it seems to many persons, a dreadful thing to dismember a defunct human body with the dissecting knife. Bless you! I understand all that! Have been through it myself! Indeed, at the time of which I speak, a horde of old superstitions haunted my heels whenever I took my scalpel in hand.

However I appeal to those whose prejudices are strongest against the practice: is it not a greater kindness towards our brother man, if we acquire such skill as experience alone can give, through the medium of a senseless corpse, than to go out into the world trying our bungling experiments on living subjects, who must linger in suffering, perhaps die, because we lack that knowledge of the human system, and skillfulness in surgery, which dissecting alone could have taught us.

Has it ever occurred to your mind, that the eccentric gentlemen who, on dying, willed his body to a scientific institution, served as truly a missionary purpose as he who crosses the ocean to spend his life in ministry among the heathen?

But to return to my narrative. It was just at the time of our greatest privation, when we had sent far and near to procure a subject, and found none forthcoming, that some of the class brought intelligence of a body which had that very afternoon, been interred in the cemetery adjoining the town. It was the body of a man, and the death had been a sudden one, although from no contagious disease. The limited illness, as it would leave the system very nearly in its natural condition, rendered it more desirable for scientific purposes.

Under ordinary circumstances such an act as despoiling a grave would never have occurred to any of us, at least with a view of carrying it out; indeed there was a law in the college forbidding it, under a heavy penalty; but taking into consideration all the previously cited circumstances, you will perceive how strong a temptation confronted us! Of course we were bound to the utmost secrecy, and could profit by the use of our "forbidden fruit" only in the privacy of our individual apartments. This was plainly understood in the beginning.

By twos and threes, we struggled together, uttering low comments and suggestions, until twelve of our number had assembled. Together we repaired to the lodgings of a class mate, where, secure from eavesdroppers, or interruption, a unanimous vote decided in favor of obtaining possession of the body.

Three of our number were deputed to procure it, and as no one volunteered, they were selected by lot.—Nine blanks and three crosses were put into a hat. I was the first to draw and brought out a cross; then came two blanks, and a cross for Dick Rivers, otherwise called the "Blowhard!" four more blanks, and the third cross fell to a tall, strapping fellow by the name of Matthew Middleton.

We were instructed to raise the body, about the hour of midnight, and convey it cautiously, through an unfrequented by-way as far as Lynn street, and conceal it in a closet adjoining the bachelor apartment of our class, where no prying land-lady or curious chambermaid might spy out our secret. The coming evening was decided upon as the one upon which we were to make the attempt. In case of surprise or disturbance, we were to make our way back with all possible dispatch, hasten quietly to our lodging and feign ignorance of the whole transaction.

Our undertaking would be attended with no particular risk, as there was but one house in the immediate vicinity to the cemetry, and that the dwelling of the sexton, a man well into years and nearly deaf, as well as his housekeeper, familiary known as Goody Dent.

At ten o'clock according to appointment, I repaired to our rendezvous, and found my two companions awaiting me. We carried between us, a spade, a rope, a chisel, a lantern, and a large heavy wool sack, in which to wrap the subject.

The night was cloudy, and we picked our way silently through the dark streets now and then flashing a ray from our lantern on the path ahead.

Arriving at the cemetry, we found the gate securely fastened, but easily vaulted over the enclosure. The tombstones gleamed dull and white through the murky gloom. A violent wind which had risen with the setting of the sun, roughed over the tall grass, and shook the willow branches until they lashed each other as in a blind fury. We pressed closely together, reassuring ourselves by low-spoken jests and light conversation.

Our informant had been able to describe the exact locality in which the corpse had been deposited, and with little difficulty we found our way to the freshly heaped mound of earth which marked the new-made grave. Resolutely we set to work, using the spade in turn, until at length it struck, with a dull thud, upon the coffin lid. After that we proceeded with more care, and less speed, until the whole top of the coffin was bare. This Middleton announced in a stage whisper.

"Come out of it then," was Rivers quick response. "Your two-hundred pounds, avoirdupois, will smash the whole concern!"

We drew Middleton out, and I held the lantern, while Rivers, who was much lighter, but very muscular, descended with rope and chisel. I noticed the coffin was a very large one, and nearly seven feet in length. He unscrewed the lid, and threw it back.

"Mahomet and all the prophets!" was his somewhat irreverent exclamation. Peering down, with Middleton over my shoulder, I beheld the massive head, and giant shoulders of a man in the prime of life; his features indicated Norwegian descent Large as was his coffin it fitted him snugly.

"The whole lid has got to come off!" said Rivers lugubriously. "Nothing less will begin to answer. After some diligent work with the chisel, he lifted the lid to one side, setting it up edge-wise. The corpse was all of six feet eight, and would weigh—at a rough guess—two hundred and seventy-five pounds. Fastening the rope to the arms and across the shoulders, Rivers climbed up to the edge of the cavity, and united his strength with ours.

"Here we are!" was his confident assertion; but there came some obstruction, and pull and tug as we might, we could not raise our burden above a half reclining position.

"Come, Brock," put in Middleton, you are the slightest; just you drop down, loosen the old fellow's feet, and give us a lift under his shoulders; that's a good fellow!"

I did not relish the idea of so close proximity to my "Norwegian friend," as we dubbed the ily down, and moving the [illegible] planted myself immediately under the suspended body, preparing for a vigorous boast. Casting my eyes upward, I saw that the moon, just broken loose from the clouds, threw a broad beam of light athwart the grave. At the same instant the distant town-clock began on the stroke of twelve.

A quick exclamation sounded from above, followed by a violent concussion, which showed me more stars than ever at one time spangled the heavens. Then I heard rapidly departing footsteps, and all was silence. I came to a speedy realization of my position. I was fast wedged into the bottom of the coffin, under the full weight of that ponderous corpse. My cowardly class mates had been frightened away, leaving me to combat alone the terrors of my frightful situation.

A hand of ice seemed closing about my heart, checking its pulsations; a cold perspiration broke from every pore. In agony of terror I strove to free myself from my loathesome position; but in vain. I was exceedingly slender in person, and muscular force was proportionately weak; under the most advantageous circumstances I could have lifted scarcely one-half this weight; now, I had fallen in a particularly awkward position, which, besides being extremely painful, made resistance doubly difficult; exert myself as I would, I was unable, in the least degree to obtain release. My efforts only wedged the hateful burden closer above me!

I shrieked in the extremity of my terror. I cried aloud until hoarseness muffled my voice to a whisper. I strained every nerve until the tension snapped, and utterly exhausted, I was powerless to move hand or foot.

Thus I lay, aching in every joint, the suffocating load on my chest seeming each moment to press closer and closer; my brain was on fire; my eye-balls starting from my head! After this came a sort of half-stupor, in which I ceased to feel pain, but only numbness. My mind was active, and, strange to say, calm. I speculated with the utmost coolness on the probable length of time which must elapse before I would be missed and searched for; or some passer-by noticing the displayed mound be led by curiosity to inspect it. I placed little dependence on my class mates.

I counted the seconds, as they resolved themselves into moments and the moments as they progressed towards hours. I recalled the faces of friends, some that I had not seen for years. I lived over incidents of my past life. Vague and indistinct images came and went before my mind's eye, becoming gradually dimmer and fainter, until blank unconsciousness enveloped my strained faculties in a merciful oblivion.

"Thank heaven, old fellow, that you are yet alive!" It was Middleton's voice, and opening my eyes I saw four of my class-mates bending anxiously over me. I was still in the cemetery, lying on the grass, with my head resting on Middleton's knee, and the dim twilight of early day-break, just showing objects. I was lame and dizzy and weak.

"Here's to your better health!" exclaimed Rivers, placing the neck of his pocket flask at my mouth, while one of the others said anxious:

"Come, let's hurry up! we must be gone from here before any one is stirring."

Hastily seizing a couple of spades they began industriously filling the cavity we had hollowed out the evening before. The stimulant I had taken had revived me wonderfully. I raised my head and looked around.

"The——subject?" I queried faintly.

"Will remain where it lies, until Gabriel blows his horn!" ejaculated Rivars earnestly. "I think you have had your full share of him, and for the rest of us we are willing to waive our claim."

"You see," began Middleton, shame-facedly, "Rivers and I got a right smart scare, just when you went down into that grave, and the moon shone out so bright. We happened to look behind us, before making ready for that last pull, and I tell you it was enough to make a fellow's hair stand on end; that sight we saw. It was long and white, and came rolling over the ground, making all kinds of motions and antics, and just then the clock struck for twelve; we called down to you let out for home, and then we started."

"Never dreamed but what you were tight to our heels, 'pon honor, didn't!" broke in Rivers, "Never once thought of such a thing as your getting caught in that kind of a trap. After we got out, and found you not following, we concluded you was playing off brave, and had sneaked home some other way, to get a trick on us. So we went right to your rooms, to wait for, and find you out. But when it got nigh morning an I you didn't come, we got frightened enough about you, and waked up Roberts and Willis to go back with us and find out what was the matter."

"But the ghost?" I shuddered, endeavoring to sit up and look about me.

"Oh! that's the joke of it," laughed Roberts, who having finished his work, came up convulsed with merriment. "Do you see that strip of linen yonder, that Goody dent has out bleaching? Well, you know the wind was a perfect gale, and it blew up the cloth and sent it rolling along, and these fellows mistook it for a grave-yard specter. Ha! ha!"

I had not the bravado to laugh at the comedy, in which I had played so trying a part.

"His nerves are completely unstrung," muttered Willis, "and I don't wonder at it. When we first looked into that coffin the query arose whether you were at the bottom or no. The way you were laid out there makes it a surprise that there is even a grease spot left of you."

My chums got me back to town and into my bed, which I did not leave again for long weeks; a spell of low, nervous fever following upon my fright and exposure.

Our unfortunate escapado chanced never to leak out, and it was my first and only experience of body snatching. If I should live to the age of Methuselah, never would I lose the freshness of that night of terror, passed in the hideous embrace of a corpse, in the depths of a lonely grave.

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FROM GRANT TO GREELEY.

The Huntingdon (Pa.) *Globe*, one of the oldest Republican papers of the State, dropped Grant and Wilson, last week, and hoisted Greeley and Brown. The Editor, Wm. Lewis, esq., says:

"TO OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS."—With the exception of the last four months we have successfully conducted the *Globe* as sole proprietor and political editor since the spring of 1846, 26 years, and now again we have taken upon ourself the same responsibility, and we shall not hesitate to be as independent and just as we always have been. To differ with our friends as well as our political enemies is a right we have ever enjoyed, and we value it above all other earthly treasures. We have departed—not from the true faith—but from *Grantism*, to the support of honest statesmanship, and one of the In the departure we have made, our conscience tells us we are right, and where our conscience directs we will be, regardless of consequences. In taking the stand [illegible] have—independent Repub[illegible] we have separated politically [illegible] ny warm friends who cannot [illegible] see the situation as we see it, but who, we honestly believe, will follow us in good time, to help the honest people throw off the yoke of political misrule and tyranny that now disgraces the Republican party and our country.

We were of the first, more than four years ago, to advocate the nomination of Gen. Grant, as a candidate for the Presidency, believing then that if elected, he would gall around him as advisers able statesmen and honest men, and be a President of the people. But he has proved himself to be a failure as a President. Instead of selecting the best men to advise him, he has surrounded himself with the most corrupt political speculators, and given out the running of his administration by contract to the most venal of mankind, in every State of the Union. We cannot support such an administration any longer, much less ask the honest voters of the country to continue it for four years more from the 4th of March next. If the people would be happy and prosperous they must have for their President, an honest and able representative, surrounded by able, honest men, instead of mere political gamblers. Horace Greeley is an honest man, is a true Republican—can discharge the duties of President without the advice of friends—and will be elected by the people in November next. With Greeley and Brown as our leading candidates, we go into the campaign with an honest purpose, and all other candidates we may support must be of the same class of men, or as near as it may be possible to find them as candidates. WM. LEWIS.

Magnificence in Egypt.

In the palaces of the Viceroy, or Khedive, as he is now called, of Egypt, (says a writer in the *Galaxy*) are seen the signs of Eastern luxury and the material civilization of France; delicately carved and gilded chairs, covered with the finest silk; soft, tapestry divans, running around the walls; beds of solid silver, covered with glittering satin, costing as much as $15,000 each; long Eastern pipes, with mouth-pieces of lightest colored amber, set with diamonds and precious stones, some of them valued at $30,000 a piece; gold trays, plates and goblets of gold, rimmed with gems—even diamonds; silver basins to wash hands in before a repast; low, round silver tables, a foot high, for dining; magnificent cushions to recline on in smoking or eating; little coffee cups of solid clusters of diamonds, rubies or emeralds; hundreds of slaves in each establishment, eunuchs, waiting women in flowing costumes; immense rooms, decorated in white and gold, azure and silver, rose and lily; floors of inlaid marble, porphyry and alabaster; constantly playing fountains, whose trickling sounds fall so agreeably on the ear in a warm country, masses of gorgeously framed mirrors. One sees in all this the French upholster has been at work trying his best to blend Paris and Cairo. In the East, where everything in the household is low and flowing, the assimilation has been difficult, in spite of which the French artist has achieved a certain measure of success.

☞ A lawyer and a parson were talking about which way the wind was. The former said "We go by the Court House vane." "And we," replied the parson, "go by the church vane." "Well," said the lawyer, "in the matter of wind that is the best authority;" and the parson went to cogitate.

The Beaver Argus.

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Beaver, Pa., August 14th, 1872.

"AN honest administration is what is wanted," says the Philadelphia *Herald*. Precisely, and that is the reason why the Republicans intend to elect John F. Hartranft Governor. *Pittsburgh Dispatch*.

As a joker the *Dispatch* is clearly a success.

STATE Senator Billingfelt of Lancaster county has been the "watch-dog" of the State Treasury for the past eight or ten years. Read his reasons in another column of the ARGUS, for declining to support those eminent frauds—*John F. Hartranft* for Governor, and Harrison Allen for Auditor General.

THE following Republican newspapers in this State, refuse to support Hartranft and Allen. The list is copied from the Philadelphia *Press:*

The Doylestown Intelligencer, Delaware Republican, Scranton Republican, Honesdale Citizen, Huntingdon Journal, Coatesville Union, Mechanicsburg Journal, Huntingdon Globe, Lancaster Express, Lancaster Inquirer, Lancaster Enterprise, Butler Eagle, Meadville Journal, Newcastle Journal, Beaver Argus, Lancaster Volksfreund, and *Pittston Comet.* To this list should be added the very forefront of the opposition, *The Philadelphia Press.*

THE reports of the canvass for the election of State officers in Maine are of a character to indicate that the Administration are determined to leave no stone unturned in their efforts to carry the State and elect Mr. Blaine. There is a strong opposition to him among his constituents, and it is more than probable that he will be defeated. All of the Administration speakers who figured in North Carolina have taken the stump there except Secretary Delano, whom the people are not particularly anxious to hear. Speaker Blaine's letter to Senator Sumner has been most extensively circulated in all parts of the State as a campaign document, while the reply of the latter is carefully excluded [as far as possible] by the Administration executive committee.

GOVERNOR GEARY is reported to have said a few days ago in Baltimore that Hartranft and Allen would both be elected in Pennsylvania at the October election. He also stated that the opposition to Hartranft is confined to a few discontented politicians in the *eastern* portion of the State!

Well, Governor, suppose you come out into the western part of Pennsylvania, and instead of finding a few "discontented" politicians who are opposed to Hartranft, we suspect you will make the discovery that fully three-fourths of the whole Republican party are not only "discontented" but highly *indignant* that such a man should be presented as a candidate for Governor of the State. "Discontented" is *no* word for the feeling manifested toward Hartranft and his backers west of the Alleghenies. You may set that down as a sure thing.

FREQUENT attempts have been made of late to induce Col. Forney to "let up" on Hartranft, Allen, Mackey, Quay & Co. But it is no go. The Col. last week states that he has no personal quarrels with the State Treasurer, "who is no worse than several of his predecessors, but against the infamous clique of which he is a leading spirit he shall wage an unceasing warfare until the last of its members are life, whichever they may be the most deserving of."

This is the true way to deal with political scoundrels, and the man who treats them otherwise is either deficient in moral courage or will bear watching himself.

DURING the coming session of the Legislature of this State, a United States Senator will have to be chosen to fill the seat now occupied by Simon Cameron. General C., is said by some persons to be a candidate for re-election; by others that he is not. It is more than likely however, that he will try to be his own successor.

Mr. Rutan was nominated last week for the State Senate by the Republican conferees for this district. Of course he expects to be elected. But would it not enable a great many people to vote more intelligently at the next election if Mr. R., would inform them *now* whether he intends supporting General Cameron for the United States Senate next winter, or not? A great many conscientious persons in the district are interested in this United States Senatorial question, and as candidates for legislative honors should be frank with the people whose support they solicit, we are not without hope that Mr. Rutan will tell us at the outset what his course will be on the subject alluded to.

THE unprincipled tricksters in politics are busily engaged just now in trying to make their more illiterate fellow-citizens believe that if Horace Greeley is elected President, an immediate effort will be made to have the United States assume the confederate debt and to pay for emancipated slaves. To show the utter ridiculousness of all this bosh, we have only to quote the 4th section of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, which reads as follows:

> SECTION IV. The validity of the public debt of the United States authorized by law, including debts incurred for the payment of pensions and bounties for service in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned, but neither the United States nor any State shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or claim for the loss or emancipation of any slave, but all such debts, obligations and claims shall be held illegal and void.

When it is borne in mind that it takes *three-fourths of all the States in the Union* to change this, it will be seen that our streets are more likely to be paved with gold than that the rebel debt will ever be assumed or payment for emancipated slaves ordered.

SENATOR DOOLITTLE of Wisconsin is now making political speeches in Maine. At Bangor last week, he commenced his address as follows:

> FELLOW-CITIZENS OF MAINE: About seven years after the close of the war of the Revolution which established the independence of our land, George Washington was unanimously elected President of these United States. About seven years after the close of the second war with Great Britain, which established the freedom of these States, James Monroe was unanimously elected President; and now, about seven years after the close of the war to put down the Rebellion, and which put an end to Slavery forever, establishing freedom throughout the land and equal rights to all men, the people in these United States, by a vote almost unanimous in the Electoral College, are about to elect Horace Greeley President [Applause.] Even in holy writ it is said there is good luck in number seven. [Great Applause.] Upon Washington's election there was an era of good feeling. After the election of James Monroe the same thing occurred a second time, followed with great prosperity to the whole country. And now, after seven years, a good time is coming. The third era of good feeling, with peace, prosperity, liberty, equality, fraternity and affection throughout the North, South, East and West is to return again in the election of Horace Greeley to the Presidency of the United States.

BEFORE making up an opinion on the Gubernatorial question a few facts should be taken into consideration: General Hartranft was Auditor General when the Evans swindle was perpetrated. That swindle cost the people of Pennsylvania nearly three hundred thousand dollars. He was either a partner in the base transaction, or too stupid to know that a gang of plunderers were operating under his very nose. Take which horn of the dilemma he may the fact itself proves him unfit to fill the office for which he is now a candidate. Aside from the Evans transaction it has been proven repeatedly that he has used his present office for stock gambling purposes; that he is connected with the "State Treasury ring"; that he assists in using the funds derived from the interest on the unexpended balance to corrupt voters and carry primary conventions; that himself and Mackey tried to induce the Legislature to borrow five millions of dollars a short time ago, ostensibly to pay off a portion of our State indebtedness, but in fact, only to give them the handling of that much more money. To show that the latter was really the *case it is only necessary to state that when these parties were making this attempt to increase the State* debt, they had a million and a half of dollars of State funds loaned out to bankers who were paying them interest for its use. Do the people then wish to fill the first office in the State by a man who either helped to rob them of $290,000 or stood silently by while others were doing it? Do they wish the chair once filled by Andy Curtin to be occupied by a public officer who bought and sold the State's stocks and converted the proceeds to his own use? Do they countenance "rings" which enrich their members at the public expense? and lastly, are they prepared to say that the use of public funds at all of our local elections in the way of corrupting voters, is right, and deserves public endorsment? If so, General Hartranft is the man they should vote for. He fills the bill better than any man we know of. But when they find others who decline to swallow the dose, they should have "charity" sufficient to not impute improper motives to them.

IN Speaker Blaine's letter to Senator Sumner he alleges that "in all the startling mutations of American politics, nothing so marvellous has ever occurred as the fellowship of Robert Toombs, Jefferson Davis and Charles Sumner in a joint effort to drive the Republican party from power."

Pray, Mr. Blaine, where do you find the evidence of any such fellowship? Jefferson Davis has had no part in the formation of the Liberal party. We do not know how he means to vote, and probably you do not know. If he should join the new alliance (which we do not expect) he will join it as a simple private, and his doing so would be the best parties accept recruits wherever they can get them, and make no inquiry into their past record. Robert Toombs is a supporter of Gen. Grant, so far as he is a supporter of anybody, and you probably knew this as well as anybody in the whole country when you asserted otherwise. Your statement having been shown to be untrue, Mr. Speaker, may we not say that "in all the startling mutations of American politics nothing so marvellous has ever occurred as the fellowship of" the guerrilla Mosby, Henry A. Wise, Garrett Smith and Speaker Blaine, "in a joint effort" to prevent peace and reconciliation between the northern and southern states of the Union?

ONE of the principle objections which the Administration party in West Virginia have to the new constitution which is to be voted upon on the 4th Thursday of this month, is embraced in section 45, which declares it to be the duty of the Legislature at its first session after the adoption of the constitution, to provide by law for the punishment by imprisonment in the penitentiary of any person who shall bribe or attempt to bribe any executive or judicial officer, or member of the Legislature, and similar punishment for any such officials or members who shall demand or receive bribes, compelling the briber to testify, and exempting him in that case from punishment, and forever disqualifying any person convicted from holding office.

LIBERALISM is becoming infectious in New-Hampshire. The State press is filled with letters from prominent Republicans repudiating Grant and declaring for Greeley. The more recent accessions are Charles G. Hawthrone, a life-long and efficient Republican of Hopkinton; Col. John L. Kelley, a stanch Republican formerly city Marshal and now a member of the city Council of Manchester; A. W. Barlett of Manchester, who stumped the State last spring for the Republicans; Gen. Natt Head of Hooksett, Adjutant-General during the war; J. B. Upham of Portsmouth, brother of the late Judge Upham, and Stephen Gorham of Gorham.

E. A. ROLLINS, who recently resigned the Chairmanship of the Grant Executive State Committee of New Hampshire, has declared in favor of Greeley and Brown, and has written a long letter giving his reasons therefor. Senator Sumner has received invitations from the Republicans of Boston, Philadelphia and New-York to deliver addresses on the political situation. T. W. Hayden of Boston writes to the Liberal Republican Committee here that Mr. Sumner's friends there are satisfied that he will accept their invitation, and that it was signed by a majority of the merchants and prominent men of the city. George W. Naires, one of the assistant bookkeepers of the House of Representatives, has been informed that as he is an active supporter of Greeley and Brown, and was appointed by Senator Fenton of New-York, that his services will not be needed longer than Sept. 1. It has been so frequently stated by the Grant organs that Justice Davis of the Supreme Court would support Grant instead of Greeley in the coming election, it is well enough to say that after the nomination of Mr. Greeley at Cincinati he expressed satisfaction at the result of the Convention and that the movement had his warmest sympathy. He more than once announced his intention to vote for the candidates and has lately reiterated that intention.

A SPLENDID opportunity to make their influence felt, will soon be given to such persons as desire the State debt to be increased several millions of dollars. Hartranft and Mackey tried to lobby a bill through the Legislature a short time ago for that purpose but were defeated. Vote for Hartranft at the October election and make him Governor of the State and the attempt will not only be renewed, but it will be successful. Taxpayers! here is your chance. If you want more debt, and consequently, are anxious to pay more interest annually, J. F. H. is your man. If, on the other hand, you want the State debt held where it is, or gradually reduced, and your taxes lessened, vote against him and thus punish the cormorants who drink and lounge on money wrung from your daily toil.

HERE AND THERE.

—The New York prisons and police stations are crowded with prisoners awaiting trial. Nearly six hundred persons are thus confined, charged with various offences.

—The oldest artesian well in Europe is at Lilliers, in the Pas de Calais, France, and from its mouth water has flowed uninterruptedly for seven hundred and forty-six years.

—Two persons have been arrested for complicity in the murder of Matthews at Yeates City, recently reported. One of them, Marion Osborne, was taken to Peoria to save him from a mob which threatened his life.

—The revenue collections for July, in the Richmond, (Va.) districts were about $400,000. The *Whig* says this amount was derived almost wholly from the tax on tobacco, and is perhaps the largest amount ever collected in so short a space of time.

—A remarkable character of the California mountain climate is an extreme intensity and vividness of atmospheric coloring. The deep blue of an Alpine sky is startling on first acquaintance; but in the Sierra Nevada it deepens still further into violet hue.

—Work on the tunnel under the Detroit river is progressing finely. On the east side workmen are out over nine hundred feet from shore, working through stiff blue clay, and finding little stone. On the Canadian side work is pushed out over three hundred feet.

—In the grand march of progress now moving all the nations of Europe, Russia, great in the material things, evidently does not intend to be left one step in the rear. In the estimates of the recent Muscovite budget $17,500,000 are set aside for educational purposes.

—A colored porter of the steame Milwaukee, named Demmy, was shot in the left breast and dangerously by one of the passengers with whom he had a dispute about twenty-five cents charges on some baggage. The would-be-murderer was arrested.

—A young man named Wash Arnold attempted to kill his father by cutting him with a knife at Cadiz, O, last week. The knife entered the body under the left arm, inflicting a dangerous wound. Some family difficulty was the cause. Arnold had not been arrested at latest advices.

—Cincinnati was visited by a fire last Thursday which consumed nearly all the buildings on an entire square. The structures, however, were mostly of a temporary character. The more substantial buildings escaped with but slight loss, the total amount of which is stated at about $40,000.

—There are seventy-five hospitals connected with the United States Marine Hospital service. The Secretary of the Treasury has directed a detailed report of all operations performed and diseases treated to be sent to him, in order to have a report made out, giving statistics never yet collected.

—The French Government will intimate its desire to pay the next installment of the indemnity, viz: 500,000,000 francs to the Germans on the 1st of August. According to the provisions of the latest convention payment will be actually made a fortnight later, and the Departments of Marne and Haute-Marne will be evacuated on September 1st.

—A telegraph clerk of London, who was engaged on a wire to Berlin, recently formed an acquaintance with and attachment for a female clerk who worked on the same wire in Berlin. He made a proposal of marriage to her, and she accepted without having seen him. They were married, and the marriage resulting from their electrical affinities is said to have turned out admirably.

—On Wednesday night of last week a party of five or six roughs attempted to force Captain John Stevens into a political controversy, at Carsonville, Missouri, ten miles from St. Louis, which Mr. Stevens declined; but on some insulting remark being made to him he knocked the party down. The ruffians then attacked and beat and kicked him to death. Captain Stevens was an old and well known steamboatman, sixty years of age. He leaves a family. Two of the men, named Burts and Murphy, were arrested.

—We print in another column a dispatch from Raleigh confirming our belief that the majority claimed by the Republicans for Caldwell has been counted up by fraud. If the report is correct that the Secretary of State has said "that Caldwell will not be elected by the official vote," it must be that he possesses evidence of fraud that cannot be rebutted. All the circumstances point to a manipulation of the returns by the adherents of the Administration, and whether the Conservatives will be able to prove the fact or not, the belief cannot be shaken that such is the fact. A victory gained by such means will be as injurious to the Administration party as an actual defeat, and will strengthen the prospects of Greeley in North Carolina.—*Phila Post.*

POLITICAL.

—The Danville (Pa.) *Independent*, a spirited semi-weekly, published by Dr. Brower, formerly a member of the Legislature, and a prominent Republican politician, declares for Greeley and Buckalew. He supports Greeley "on personal merit," and Buckalew because "he is an able and an honest man."

—Fifty-one republicans of Girard, Pa., have signed a call for a meeting to organize a Greeley and Brown club. Among them are Henry Teller, ex-assemblyman; T. C. Wheeler, ex-assistant U. S. assessor; Jacob Bender, editor of the *Cosmopolite*, and L. S. Jones, a leading merchant and brother to the U. S. Minister to Belgium.

—We have published in detail the State debts GRANT's carpet-baggers have created in the South, but here is the aggregate in ten Southern States:

At the end of the war.	Now.
$76,415 300.	$291,626 015.

—for which increase of $215,210 715 the States have nothing to show!—This kind of government the Administration seeks to keep alive.

—"Now that Gen. Banks 'has gone over to the enemy,'" says *The Cincinnati Commercial*, "of course he never was of any account—he was quite as worthless, indeed, as Salmon P. Chase, Horace Greeley, Lyman Trumbull, Carl Schurz, or Charles Sumner, O. P. Morton, Ben. Butler, and Simon Cameron are the real patterns of greatness and true deliverers of sound doctrine."

—Says the New Haven *Register*: The list of recusants from the Grant ranks are pouring in upon us so numerously, that we are considering the necessity of limiting the publication of such renunciations to colonels, judges of the higher courts, postmasters, and collectors. This may look like "pulling in the gang-plank" before the passengers are "all aboard," but it cannot be helped, if we have to make two trips.

—Brick Pomeroy says that now is the time for "every democratic voter to sell his vote to the highest bidder and take the cash in hand." Without questioning the morality of smartness of this proposition, because it is both moral and smart in a Pomeroyian sense, says the St. Louis *Times*, we would suggest that if every democratic voter was as little worth buying as he is, there would be mighty few bidders and slow sales.

—The Grant papers have been jubilant over the local election in Louisville, Ky., because an independent ticket was chosen over the regulars. If they would just tell the truth and say that every man on both tickets is an ardent supporter of Greeley for President, they would find little comfort in the boasted victory. If the Louisville election has any political significance whatever, it is in the fact that the Grant men could not raise a candidate for a municipal or ward officer in the chief city of Kentucky.

—In summing up the "Grant victory" in North Carolina we find that the Democrats and Conservatives have chosen:

A Greeley House of Representatives.

A Greeley State Senate.

A Greeley United States Senator in place of Pool, Grantite.

Five members of Congress out of eight.

And probably a Greeley Lieutenant Governor.

—What is thought of Mr. Greeley in financial circles abroad appears from an article recently published in the *Deutsch-Amerikanisher Oeconomist* of Frankfort-on-the-Main. That journal said: "as regards rectitude and honesty, he is irreproachable; only a few attemps have been made by his opponents during the present election campaign to cast suspicion upon him, but they have failed." "If Mr. Greeley should be elected, there would be at the head of the Union has hitherto been so menacing, will no longer be imminent."

—What is the trouble in part in the Republican party in this State outside of the difference of opinion on the Presidential question? Simon Cameron, the old corrupt sinner, demands a re-election by the Legislature next winter, to the United States Senate. We give our pledge now that the *Globe* will not support for the Legislature any man who cannot be relied upon to work to the extent of his influence, and to vote against the election of Cameron, or any man he might desire to have elected. It is time that the people should take the control of parties and the money of the Commonwealth out of the hands of political gamblers.—*Huntingdon (Pa.) Globe.*

—Chris. Lewis, a former Republican member of the Harrisburg council and president of that body for a year, is the President of of a Greeley and Buckalew club at Wheatland, Mercer county, numbering 138 members, among whom are many liberal republicans. The prospects are that this club will be 200 strong in a few days, as from 60 to 70 have expressed a desire to become members. The secretary of the organization is Sidney McCloud, who left Harrisburg with Mr. Lewis a few years ago. A Greeley and Buckalew club of the above membership is a significant political straw. In 1868 the town polled a unanimous vote for Grant. Truly the liberal ball is rolling on, and with Lewis at the head the Wheatland club will give it a good impetus.

☞ The following in regard to the due bill candidate is from the Philadelphia *Press*:

Auditor General Hartranft is a member of the State Treasury Ring, and has speculated very largely and made quite a fortune. That he had several business transaction with Yerkes that cannot strictly be called legitimate, the latter has sworn to. That he wrote the following letter to that gentleman, none of his friends or organs have denied:

> AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
> HARRISBURG, December 21, 1871. }
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> DEAR YERKES: Calhoun telegraphed to me today for money, and I had to give him a check for $8,700, which he will present to you to-morrow (22). I cannot avoid this. I met Mackey here on Monday. He went west in the afternoon, and will not return until Monday. I did not like to ask him again, but I did not think Calhoun would want any money so soon. I will see you on Saturday, and whatever you want done I will do. I will meet Mackey here on Monday, and whatever is necessary I will ask him to do.
>
> Yours, most truly,
> J. F. HARTRANFT.
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> P. S.—Will lift Calhoun's check on Saturday, and give you certificate of deposit to that amount. J. F. H.

Yet General Hartranft, according to the Ring journals, never had any connection with Yerkes. The last named is a convicted felon, and his solemn oath that he has at various times purchased and sold stocks and carried the same "*with money of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania*" which Hartranft had caused to be deposited with him by the State Treasury, ought not to be received.

Honest John.

One of the jobs in which John F. Hartranft was engaged, was that in relation to compromising claims against corporations for unpaid taxes. In 1871 suits had been instituted by the Attorney General of the State against a large number of corporations for taxes. The gross sum claimed amounted to nearly three quarters of a million of dollars. In May of that year, Mr. Strang, from Tioga county, an agent of Cameron, and a brother jobber with Hartranft, Mackey, Quay and Erret, introduced in the House of Representatives a resolution authorizing the Auditor General, State Treasurer, and Attorney General, or a majority of them, to compromise all claims against corporations for taxes then in litigation before the courts. By the wording of the resolution it will be seen that in reality Hartranft and Mackey were to do all the business, they constituting a majority of the Board. Why was the Attorney General excluded from the affair? Because he had disavowed all connections with the job, and insisted that every cent of taxes claimed could be collected by law, and the sequel showed he was right. But Auditor General Hartranft urged the passage of the bill, and used all possible means to influence members of the Senate and House to vote for its passage. The bill was the forerunner of a job. The proposed compromise of these tax claims, would have resulted in a loss to the State of at least $300,000, a full proportion of which would have gone into the pockets of those who engineered the business.

DOCTOR ALLEN'S CASE.

It is not true, as the *Telegraph* states, in endorsement of the Venango *Citizen*, that the specific charge of corruption brought by Mr. Ellis, of Warren county against Doctor Harrison Allen, the radical candidate for Auditor General, was made and exploded three years ago. Mr. Ellis produces his charge now publicly for the first time. He was the political and personal friend of Allen. When Allen appeared before the public for the responsible office of Auditor General, Mr. Ellis considered it a duty to expose his trickery and corruption.

Allen's trick consisted in this: some of his friends in the oil business in Warren county wished to procure some legislation in regard to piping oil. They applied to Allen, their representative, who informed them that it would be necessary to pay two thousand dollars to secure the necessary legislation. Allen would not take any money himself. O, no! Like Sary Gamp with her rum bottle, Allen suggested that the money be put in a sealed package and delivered to one A. K. Chase, who would keep it until called for. The money was paid Chase according to arrangement. All this time Allen knew that the legislation sought by his old friends had already been obtained by other parties. When they discovered this for themselves, they demanded the return of them, and Allen coldly informed them that it was too late. Chase had the money and kept it until called for.

This is the rascally trick by which Doctor Harrison Allen defrauded his friends and constituents of two thousand dollars. He pretended that the money was required to influence a committee of the legislature, when there is no doubt that he appropriated every dollar of it to his own use. He has not pretended to meet the charge brought against him by his neighbors. Those who accuse him of this act of corruption are men of good repute and standing in their community, and Allen has not enough character to put his word in opposition to them. He is therefore compelled to submit, and by his silence acknowledge the truth of the charge brought against him. This is the man who seeks to conduct the public accounts of the people of Pennsylvania. They will show light regard for their interests if they place this important and responsible office in such keeping.

DEACON WHITE.

The long promised specimen of this gentleman's skill in white washing has been placed on exhibition in a couple of columns of the ring papers. The operative cannot avoid quoting Evans' admission that Gen. Hartranft received from him a loan of $7,000, March 31, 1871, for which he gave him simply a due-bill—"Due Geo. O. Evans, $7,000" which was repaid to him after proceedings had been commenced against him by Hartranft and the State Treasurer, in

Now, this admits the whole thing, and the Deacon's multiplicity of words cannot change it. The "damned spot will not out at his bidding," nor can he make a case upon Hartranft's ignorance. His duty was to know these things. He was paid by the people for his presumed vigilance, not for ignorance.

Mr. White is fair enough to admit that

"General Hartranft needed money for some purpose personal to himself. Evans offered to lend it and Hartranft accepted the loan. It *may be* that Evans *intended it as a bribe*, as his account had not been presented or settled, and he knew there would be a storm when it would be discovered that he had retained from his collections such enormous commissions."

But he proceeds to say:

"It has been charged that General Hartranft had dealt in stocks with *the State's money*. This charge is wholly malicious, and has not the least evidence to sustain it. The Auditor General has *no more control* over the State funds, either as Auditor or Commissioner of the Sinking Fund, than has the humblest citizen of the State. All the public monies of every description are in the hands of the State Treasurer, and there is no way *of getting the money* from the Treasury, but by a regular voucher and warrant, showing officially on the books of the Auditor's office, and of the Treasurer's office, on what account and for what purpose the money was paid. As well might the Controller of Allegheny county be charged with using the county funds in the hands of the Treasurer for his private purposes. Besides, the Treasurer is compelled to make a report every month, under oath, as to where the State moneys in his possession are deposited, and the parties have to make a like return under oath."

Now this is purely nonsense, and Mr. White is not so silly as not to know it. He *knows* the public money is placed with brokers who use it and divide the profits. He knows that Yerkes had a portion of it. He knows that Yerkes swears it was placed there at Hartranft's request. And he knows Yerkes swears he speculated on it for the benefit of Hartranft and paid him $2,700 at one time as his share of the profits.

Mr. White should not have gotten down to white-wash so foul a *fence*.—*Pitts. Post*

Love Stronger Than Hate.

HON J. R. DOOLITTLE, AT CONCORD, N. C., JULY 10.

The issue is made up. We are no longer compelled by arguments to prove what it is. Mr. Greeley in his letter, accepted the nomination "in the confident trust that the masses of our countrymen, North and South, are eager to clasp hands across the bloody chasm which has so long divided them, forgetting that they have been enemies in the joyful consciousness that they are and must henceforth remain brethren," Mr. Boutwell, yesterday, at Greensboro, in a speech written and printed in Washington before he came here, referring to Mr. Greeley's letter says: "We are advised to clasp hands over the bloody chasm made by the war. I protest against this advice." He speaks for the Grant party. Mr. Boutwell is an *honest man* and a man of courage. He speaks right out, and truthfully says the Grant party he represents protests against these words in Mr. Greeley's letter, which more than any others stirred to its lowest depths the great American heart. Boutwell, "We thank thee for that word." He says in substance to the South, "Gen. Grant is a great warrior, and the peace which he offers to the South is peace under the sword, the peace Russia gave to Poland; peace in chains." While we say, sheathe the sword, let us have peace based upon reconciliation between sections, and rest, liberty, fraternity, equality. They would keep open the bloody chasm; we would close it—bury in it forever all the hates and strifes and bitter memories of the war. We would build upon higher and nobler sentiments of humanity; not upon fear, hate, and lust for power, but upon truth, justice, liberty; upon faith, hope and charity. In dealing with conquered peoples, magnanimity in triumph is the teaching of all ages and of all history, and in this it agrees with the teaching of the New Testament. Love is stronger than hate.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Senator Billingfelt, of Lancaster, Declines a Nomination for Congress.

The Lancaster *Express* of last week, contains the following card from Senator Billingfelt:

To the Republican Voters of Lancaster County:

Through your continued confidence and support I have, for eight years, been one of your chosen representatives in the Legislative department of the State Government.

At the earnest solicitations of many friends my name had again been brought before you, this time as a candidate for the high honor of representing our district in Congress.—But, inasmuch as my name will be withdrawn I owe it to you, who have stood by me so long, as well as to myself, to make the announcement thus publicly, and to give the principal reasons which have led to my declination, and to define the position I occupy in the present political canvass.

This course is rendered necessary on my part through the late action of the Republican County Committee in connection with my sincere convictions expressed immediately after the two principal candidates on the Republican State ticket were nominated at Harrisburg. The resolution adopted by that committee is as follows:

"*Resolved*, That all candidates for office whose names are announced subject to the decision of the ensuing primary election are hereby required to hand in a written pledge to the chairman of the county committee ten days before the day on which the primary election is held, that they will support and use all honorable means to secure the election of the National, State and County nominees of the Republican party."

This would render me ineligible, however earnestly I might desire to be a candidate, for the simple reason that my signature could not be attached to the pledge required. It is not my purpose to dispute the right nor question the propriety of enforcing such a test at this time. It would seem, however, that the same principle might with equal propriety be applied to all the Republican voters as well as to the candidates. In spirit it is the same in the one case as in the other, though *expediency* may forbid its application to the voters.

It is certainly antagonistic to that broad and liberal principle which marked the organization of the Republican party and carried its National and State banners in triumph through many a hard-fought contest. But the object of this test seems plain and I, for one, cannot fulfill its requirements. Therefore, whatever Congressional aspirations I may have together with the preferences of valued friends must give way, for the time being, in order that I may be left free to oppose what I believe is wrong in principle and at variance with the true interests of the Republican party and the Commonwealth at large.

It is to me a painful task to arraign any of our State officials before the bar of public opinion, when I remember that for many years our personal relations have been of the most friendly character, and that they have performed many acts for which [illegible] and deserve

But as public officers it is their imperative duty, at all times, so to deport themselves that all their official acts may result in the public good, without regard to private or individual interests. And herein I believe both candidates at the head of the Republican State ticket have failed to meet the just expectations of the public; and having thus failed, my support, which would otherwise have been cheerfully given, must be withheld, and, consequently, myself deprived of the privilege of receiving your support at the primary elections.

In view of these circumstances it becomes my duty to criticise the official conduct of the candidates who claim your suffrages for two important State offices, and to point out some of their short-comings, because these influence my action in this matter and affect my political status in the party.

It would appear that, of late years, allegiance to Personal Rule for the promotion of political aspirations has been more binding upon some of our State officials than their obligations of fidelity to the interests of a confiding public. This inference is justified by the fact that the Auditor General has permitted the practice of a system, in his department, of settling some of the most important public accounts without requiring duly authenticated or properly qualified vouchers, to which no prudent business man in his business transactions would submit.

Our State war claims against the General Government, amounting to nearly $3,000,000, were permitted too long to slumber in the hands of irresponsible parties, and all information in regard to the same—such as the plain act of Assembly requires—withheld by the Auditor General from the public and denied to individuals who had the right to demand such information, until public opinion, throughout the entire Commonwealth, was aroused to indignation in consequence of this neglect of official duty.

The Sinking Fund, of which the Auditor General is one of the three commissioners, and who holds the balance of power in the Board, has been used to a large extent by individual favorites for speculative purposes, instead of being applied to the purposes for which it was solely created—the extinguishment of the public debt.

Due dilligence has not been used, nor have proper efforts been made, "to reduce our State debt as rapidly as the funds in the treasury may justify," as both the law and a proper regard for the interests of the public require.

Over five millions of our State loans have for some time been overdue and still bearing interest, while according to official reports there has been for years an unexpended balance of over a million and a half of dollars in the State Treasury.

Upon several occasions efforts were made to secure legislation which, had they been successful, would have increased the public debt millions of dollars, and decreased the assets in the Sinking Fund millions more. It is already well-known to the public that the Republican candidate for Governor recommended the former, and the candidate for Auditor General was conspicuous in the latter attempt.

In view of these undeniable facts I cannot appear before an intelligent public and a conscientious constituency, and in obedience to a decree of the county committee, ask them to support men whom I cannot support myself; nor can I "use all honorable means to secure the election of" men whose official character I cannot endorse.

Greatly preferring to retire from a canvass which I entered reluctantly, and with the consciousness of having discharged my duty in the premises, I remain your obedient servant,

E. BILLINGFELT.

Adamstown, Aug. 1, 1872.

HONEST MEN, READ!

What Republicans Say of the Evans Ring Candidate for Governor.

There is a great deal of dissatisfaction with the Republican State Ticket, viz. HARTRANFT, BY HIS CONNECTION WITH THE EVANS SWINDLE, AND ALLEN, BECAUSE OF HIS VOTES FOR THE NINE MILLION STEAL.—*Lancaster Volksfreund.*

We regret that as long as Auditor General Hartranft was on the stand before the Evans Investigating Committee HE DID NOT TELL ALL HE KNEW concerning the affair.—*Pittsburgh Gazette.*

Your committee have not language sufficiently strong to express their disapprobation of so bold an outrage, or fitting terms in which to characterize THOSE IN OFFICIAL POSITION WHO SEEK TO PALLIATE OR EXCUSE THE WRONG.—*Hon. Jas. L. Graham.*

If they are not disproved [charges against Hartranft] they will be accepted as true by the people. IT WILL NOT DO TO MAKE HARTRANFT OUR CANDIDATE.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch.*

They cannot but express their disapprobation of the looseness of OFFICIAL ROUTINE THAT PLACED IN THE HANDS OF EVANS OVER A MILLION OF DOLLARS OF VALUABLE ASSETS WITHOUT REQUIRING FROM HIM ANY SECURITY WHATEVER.—*Hon. Harry White*

Evans collected $184,168 34 and retains the whole. STATE OFFICIALS KNEW THIS FACT FOR THREE YEARS BEFORE IT BECAME PUBLIC, AND THE NEGLECT TO REPORT THE TRANSACTION TO THE LEGISLATURE IS REGARDED BY US AS A GROSS DERELICTION OF OFFICIAL DUTY.—*Hon. D. N. White.*

Our Next State Fair.

The Erie *Observer* gives us the following intelligence of the State fair to be held at Erie this fall: The fair grounds are located a square west of the car works, and is a most beautiful site for the purpose. In the centre of the track the ground rises to a considerable height, affording a fine view of the bay, lake and city. Around this ridge the half-mile race track is to be laid out, and the spectators will have the horses in sight the whole way over the course. The tract to be occupied by the fair comprises about thirty acres, and will be enclosed by a high fence, which is already about half completed. The Lake Shore and Erie and Pittsburgh railroads run along the south side of the grounds, affording unsurpassed facilities for exhibitors and visitors. Arrangements have been made with the Erie and Pittsburgh road to run passenger trains from the city to the fair every twenty minutes at a moderate charge. This will give an opportunity for those to visit the fair who could not afford the expense of a carriage. Persons who go to the fair by ordinary conveyance will enter the grounds by Twelfth street, and make their exit by a lane that leads to Eighth street. The various buildings will occupy the level ground near the railroad, and will be close together and easy of access. The cattle stalls will be on the west side, some distance in the rear of the hall for exhibitors. We were told by a member of the State Agricultural society, that more suitable grounds for the fair could not have been chosen. The city water will be carried to every point where it will be needed. Present prospects for the fair are highly encouraging. It is the determination of the citizens of Erie to render the fair in every way attractive and successful.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

A Bursting Oil Can Kills Two Children and Fatally Injures a Third.

Yesterday afternoon, at about five [illegible] fatal accident [illegible] Silvey, on Manor street, Birmingham. The victims of the accident were Mr. Silvey's two little girls, aged respectively twelve and nine years, and a little boy aged two and a half years, son of Mr. Lavelle, living next door.

Mr. Silvey and his wife are employed in Cofman's pottery, and were both away from the house, their little girls having been left at home, and Mr. Lavelle's little child had gone into play with the girls. At the time mentioned Mrs. Lavelle heard a loud explosion in Mr. Silvey's house, and running in she found the children in the kitchen, all three of them enveloped in flames. Mrs. L. hastily caught up her own little one and ran with him into her house, where the flames were extinguished as speedily as possible. Other neighbors ran into Mr. Silvey's and succeeded in extinguishing the burning clothing of the two girls.

Dr. Thomas was summoned, and was present at the house within ten minutes after the occurrence, and everything was done to alleviate the sufferings of the little sufferers. The oldest girl was delirious from the first, and no information could be obtained from her concerning the explosion and the accident, and the younger girl was also unable, for the time, to make any explanation. All that was known was that kindling had been laid in the stove ready for lighting a fire. The light seemed not to have been applied to the kindling. The oil can was near the stove and was blown to atoms. The burning oil was scattered over the room and there was danger of the house burning, but that was, fortunately, averted. It is the theory of Dr. Thomas and others that the oil can had been brought out to pour some of the contents in the stove, and that the lighted match had been either held to close to the can or else dropped into it. This idea seems to be corroborated by the little the youngest girl had said.

As we have said, everything possible was done for the injured children. Mr. Lavelle's little boy, however, expired at eight o'clock last evening. He was the youngest and last of eleven children. His parents had previously buried ten and now are childless. More heart breaking experiences than these are seldom known.

At eleven o'clock last night Mr. Silvey's oldest girl also expired, having been delirious from the time of the accident. The other girl was still living at noon, but the attending physician said there was no hope of her surviving her injuries. Mr. Silvey only recently came to this vicinity from Chicago. He was a sufferer by the great fire there, all his property having been destroyed. His double affliction is surely hard to bear.—*Pitts. Chronicle, Saturday.*

—Japan, it has been reported, will discontinue its practice of using the ill-adapted Chinese characters which have hitherto been its only alphabet for writing Japanese words. If this is to be done, there will be a noble opportunity for promoting at once civilization and philology, by the right selection of a new alphabet.

New Advertisements.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Estate of George Mohr, deceased.—Letters testamentary on the estate of George Mohr, deceased, late of the boro. of Freedom, in the county of Beaver, and State of Pennsylvania, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in New Sewickley township, in said county, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby requested to make known the same to the undersigned without delay. JOHN MENGEL,
July31,'72-6t. Executor.

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REFORM REPUBLICAN & DEMOCRATIC:

President—Horace Greeley.
Vice President—B. Gratz Brown.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET:

Governor—Charles R. Buckalew.
Supreme Judge—James Thompson.
Auditor General—William Hartley.
Congressmen at Large—Richard Vaux, James H. Hopkins, Hendricks B. Wright.

Delegates at large to Constitutional Convention: Jeremiah S. Black, George W. Woodward, Wm. Bigler, F. B. Gowan, R. A. Lamberton, A. A. Purman, James Ellis, Geo. M. Dallas, John A. Campbell, Wm. L. Corbitt, Wm. H. Smith (Allegheny), Wm. J. Baer, S. H. Reynolds, S. C. T. Dodd.

Senatorial Electors: Edgar Cowan, George W. Skinner.

Representative Electors: Selden Marvin, John S. Miller, S. Gross Fry.

Electors:

1 Thomas J Barger
2 Stephen D Anderson
3 John Maffet
4 George R Berrel
5 To be filled.
6 Isaiah B Haupt
7 Samuel A Dyer
8 Jesse G Hawley
9 Hiram B Swarr
10 B Reilly
11 John Knecht
12 Fred W Gunster
13 David Londenberg
14 Jesse McKnight
15 Henry Wells
16 Henry J Stable
17 P W Christy
18 William F Logan
19 Kasselas Brown
20 Fred M Robinson
21 John R Wilson
22 Philip H Stevenson
23 John D Bard
24 George W Miller.

Delegate to Constitutional Convention—Lewis Taylor, Rochester.
Congress—Wm. McClelland, Lawrence county.
Senate—William B. Dunlap, Bridgewater.
Assembly—William S. Morlan, New Brighton.
Associate Judge—James A. Sholes, Rochester.
Sheriff—John Græbing, Jr., Beaver.
Register & Recorder—M. H. Donehoo, Beaver.
Commissioner—Jonathan Sickman, Borough.
Poor House Director—James Scott, Raccoon.
Coroner—Sylvester Hunter, New Brighton.
Auditor, 3 years—Robert Booth, Bridgewater; 1 year, John C Whitla, New Brighton.
Trustees of Academy—R. L Wilson, Freedom borough; Wm. McCague, Brighton.

REPUBLICAN.

President—Ulyssis S. Grant.
V. President—Henry Wilson.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN:

Governor—John F. Hartranft.
Supreme Judge—Ulysses Mercur.
Auditor General—Harrison Allen.
Congressmen at Large—G W Schofield Lemuel Todd, Charles Albright.

Delegates at large to Const'l Convention.

William M. Meredith, Philadelphia; J. Gillingham Fell, Philadelphia; Harry White, Indiana; William Lilly, Carbon; Linn Bartholomew, Schuylkill; H. N. McCallister, Center; William H. Armstrong, Lycoming; William Davis, Luzerne; Jas. L. Reynolds, Lancaster; Samuel E. Dimmock, Wayne; Geo. V. Lawrence, Washington; David N. White, Allegheny; W. H. Arney, Lehigh; John H. Walker, Lehigh.

STATE ELECTORAL TICKET.

Electors at Large:

1 Adolph E. Borie, 2 John M. Thompson.

Electors:

1 Joseph A. Bonham,
2 Marcus A. Davis,
3 G. Morrison Coates,
4 Henry Bumm,
5 Theodore M. Wilson,
6 John M. Boomall,
7 Francis Schroeder,
8 Mark M. Richards,
9 Edward H. Green,
10 D. K. Shoemaker,
11 Daniel R. Miller,
12 Leander M. Milton,
13 Theodore Strong,
14 John Passmore
15 W J Colgrove
16 Jesse Merrill,
17 Henry Orlady,
18 Robert Bell,
19 John M. Thompson,
20 Isaac Frazer,
21 George W. Andrews,
22 Henry Lloyd,
23 John J. Gillespie,
24 James Patterson,
25 John W. Wallace,
26 Charles C. Boyd.

(At large—W. D. Wharton).

BEAVER COUNTY REPUBLICAN TICKET:

Delegate to Constitutional Convention—John N. Purviance, Butler county; T. R. Hazzard, Washington county.
Congress—William S. Moore.
Senate—J. S. Rutan.
Assembly—Samuel J. Cross, Jonathan Allison, Wm. S. Waldron, David McKee.
Associate Judge—M. Lawrence.
Sheriff—Chamberlin White.
Reg. & Recorder—James E. Stokes
Clerk of Court—John C. Hart.
Commissioner—Daniel Neely.
P. H. Director—John White.
Auditors—Chas. A. Hoon—Dr. C. C. Riggs.
Coroner—Daniel Corbus.
Trustees—D. McKinney—Saml. Moorhead.

NATIONAL PROHIBITIONISTS.

President—James Black.
V. President—John Russell.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE TEMPERANCE TICKET.

Governor—S. B. Chase.
Supreme Court Judge—Joseph Henderson.
Auditor General—Barr Spangler.
Congressmen-at-Large—Geo. F. McFarland, A. J. Clark and Benj. Rush Bradford.

COUNTY TEMPERANCE TICKET.

Senator—A. Bestwick.
Assembly—A. Y. Gallagher, T. J. Chandler.
Associate Judge—Robert Potter.
Register & Recorder—Francis Banks.
Clerk—J. W. Mitchell.
Commissioner—Joseph M. Alexander.
Coroner—Andrew Welsh.
Poor House Director—Wm. Murphy.
Auditor—Robert Wassen, C. A. Hoon.
Trustees—Rev. J. H. Aughey, W. B. Grace.

Delegates to Constitutional Convention.

Abra'm Bestwick, J Wesley Awl, Samuel Isett, E S Dorworth, Howell Powell, Joseph G Cummins, Samuel E. Raynor, William Brown, Dr. Isaac Guss J M Sharp, J W Brandon

Senatorial Electors: Moses Ange, A A Stevens

Representative Electors: Geo W. Arbuckle, L. S. Kauffman, W. J. Mullen

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2. T. M. Cavna
3. I. N. Pierce
4. E. W. Smitheman
5. Seth Ely
6. Seth Lukens
7. J. C. Henderson
8. Samuel Musser
9. Prof. Isaac S Geist
10. Geo. Waltz.
11. H. A. Woodhouse.
12. John R Fordham.
13. Gen W. Patton.
14. Col T. C. MacDowell
15. Dr D. C. Eberhart.
16. Wm. T King
17. Dr. J P Thompson
18. Rev J W Buckley
19. J J Taylor
20. H W Day
21. G W Wilkenson
22. Sam'l Duvall
23. T D Keller
24. Thos Elverson

New Advertisements.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY Virtue of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, Fieri Facias, and Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Beaver, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House in the borough of Beaver, Beaver county, Pa., on SATURDAY, AUG. 30th, A. D. 1872, at ten o'clock, a. m., the following property, viz:

All right, title interest and claim of defendant, of, in and to all that certain parcel or lot of ground situate in the borough of Hookstown, Beaver county and State of Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land owned by the U. P. Church, on the east by land of Samuel McLaughlin and Joseph McPheeran, on the south and west by public road—all enclosed, and containing about three acres more or less. Also, a certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Hookstown, and county aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: on the north by David Wright, east by Jno. R. Todd, south by Pine street, and west by land of Mrs. Grier, on which there is erected a one story frame stable—all enclosed. Also, a piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Greene, county of Beaver, Pa., bounded and described as follows: North by public road, east by James Trimble's heirs, and south and west by lands of Moody, containing four acres more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Samuel H. Witherspoon, at the suit of John Boyd's executors.

ALSO, No. 2.

At the same time and place all the right, title, interest and claim of defendant of, in and to all those certain lots or pieces of ground situate in the borough of Beaver Falls, Beaver county, and State of Pennsylvania, being lots Nos 1243 and 1244, in Economy plan of lots of said borough, and bounded and described as follows: On the north by Baker street, on the east by Cedar street, on the south by lot No. 1245, and on the west by Cedar alley, each having a front of 43 feet on Cedar street, and running back to Cedar alley, on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling, containing in front 16 feet and in depth 30 feet, with a portico extending along the whole front of building, with cellar underneath, and all enclosed.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of George Marshall, at the suit of James E. Crane.

ALSO, No. 3.

At the same time and place all the right, title, interest and claim of defendant of, in and to that certain messuage or lot of land situate in the borough of Beaver, in the county of Beaver and State of Pennsylvania, being part of lots No. 92 and 93, in the general plan of said borough, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning on Third st., at the corner of lot No. 94, thence by said street westerly one hundred and fifty feet to corner of Lot owned by Mary Moore, thence by said lot and lot of Mary Carson northerly one hundred and fifty feet to lot of Matilda Warrick, thence by lot last aforesaid easterly sixty-seven and one-half feet, northerly one hundred and fifty feet to Turnpike alley, thence by Turnpike alley easterly 82½ feet to lot No. 91, thence southerly 300 feet to the place of beginning; and on which is erected a two story brick dwelling house with eight rooms and a kitchen attached, cellar underneath; also, other necessary out-buildings; all enclosed and planted with fruit trees.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Mary Anderson, dec'd., in the hands of Margaret J. Anderson her executrix; and also of the said Margaret Jane Anderson and Joseph L. Anderson devisees under the will of the said Mary Anderson, dec'd, at the suit of S. B. Wilson, also at the suit of J. R. Harrah use of William Harrah.

ALSO, No. 4.

At the same time and place, all the right, title, interest and claim of defendant of, in, to and out of all those three certain parcels and lots of ground situate in the borough of Beaver Falls, Beaver county, State of Pennsylvania, numbered 35, 36 & 37, in the Economy plan of water lots in said borough; said three lots adjoining each other and, together, bounded on the north by lot No. 38 in said plan; on the east by Big Beaver creek; on the south by Walnut Run, and on the west by a way or public street for use of mills and factories; said three lots having a front of about 180 feet on said way or public street, and extending back therefrom about 180 feet to said creek. Also, two shares of water-power, each share being equal to the one two-hundredth part of the water-power furnished by the Beaver Falls Water Company's Race. On said lot No. 36 is erected a good new frame building 50 by 120 feet, two stories high with good stone basement story underneath the whole building, and known as the "Pittsburgh Hinge and Butt Factory," with all the machinery therein, to wit: the motive power, being one improved turbine water-wheel 54 inches in diameter (the water having over 16 feet of fall); two complete sets of Hinge, and two sets of Butt machinery, with all the shafting, pulleys, extra pulleys, hangers, belting, grindstones, &c. Also, one drill press, one planer, one large lathe, such as are usually used in machine shops. All the above machinery complete, well adapted for the business and in good order, and with the necessary vises, anvils, &c., constitute a complete factory for the purpose of manufacturing hinges and butts.

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ALSO, No. 5.

At the same time and place all right, title, interest and claim of defendant of, in and to all that following piece or parcel of land situate in Darlington township, Beaver county Penna, bounded and described as follows, on the north by land of Thos. Braden, on the east by land of N. Corry, on the south by lands of F. Walther, and west by lands of Conrad Freund, containing fifty acres more or less, about 18 acres of which is well timbered, the balance in a good state of cultivation and all enclosed, on which is erected a two story frame dwelling-house, containing 4 rooms, the farm is well watered.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Valentine Stier, at the suit of John Græbing, Jr., for use of Conrad Freund.

JOHN GRÆBING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, }
Aug. 14, 1872. }
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—Immediately after the Cincinnati Convention, betting on the November election was rife among the members of the Chicago Board of Trade. All wagers were in the ratio of two to one in favor of Grant. Two weeks since, no odds were given on either side. Yesterday, bets were quoted at two to one in favor of Greeley. Several such were refused, on the ground that greater odds should be given. The city organs are grinding out enthusiasm at a fearful rate, but the city bankers and brokers see that Reconciliation is the cry that will carry this campaign.—*Chicago Tribune.*

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Aug7:3l) Office, 101 W. Fifth-st., Cincinnati, O.

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TIME TABLE.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.—Trains going East leave Beaver Station as follows: Morning Accom'n 9.19; Mail, 2.47 p. m.; Evening Fast Line 5.56.

Trains going West leave Beaver Station as follows: Mail, 7.46 a. m.; Accommodation and Express, (through to Bellair,) 5.45 p. m.

The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the Argus to-day:

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- New Advertisement—J. H. McCreery....1sq;tf
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Notice.—From and after this date until the first of September next, the County Commissioners will meet on Saturday of each week only. apr10tf

The citizens of Beaver borough favorable to the formation of a Savings and Loan Association, are requested to meet at the District Attorney's office, in the Court House, on Tuesday evening, August 13th, at 7½ o'clock.

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It is a little—just a little—singular that Democratic papers quote oftener from the Philadelphia *Press* than from any other paper in the State claiming to be Republican. Why is it?—*Dispatch.*

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Attention Veterans.—The soldiers of Beaver and vicinity are requested to meet at the office of the clerk of the Court of Quarter sessions, in Beaver, on Saturday, 17th inst., at 7 o'clock p. m., to make arrangements to attend the Soldiers' Convention to be held in Pittsburgh on the 17th of September.

OLEINE at Wm. Buechling's Drug Store, Rochester.

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CAUTION.—Every genuine box of Dr. McLANES LIVER PILLS bears the signature of FLEMING BRO'S., Pittsburgh Pa., and their private United States Stamp. ☞ "Take no other." *The market is full of imitations.* Apr3;6m.

EDITOR ARGUS:—Announce to the people of Beaver county that I am an Independent Temperance candidate for the State Senate against Rutan. "Something that won't kill before I get to Erie." **IKE SCOTT.**

Radical and Conservative please copy and charge the candidate.]

GO TO J. & R. HARSHA at Rodgers' Ferry, one mile below Industry, for Cider Mills. They keep the Buckeye and American, and will get any other mill desired. aug7,4w

☞ If there be old members or friends of members of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, N. Y. (H. W. Beecher's) among our readers, they should send their names to the church clerk and get invitations to the great "silver wedding" which takes place October 8th to 11th next.

It is a mark of the unsuccessful man that he invariably locks his stable door when the horse has been stolen. This sort of wisdom never thinks about bodily health until it is gone. But just as much as any disease has become seated, the power of the system to resist and throw it off is weakened: hence time is all important. For Dyspepsia, all diseases of the liver, stomach, skin and kidneys, and all that begin in vitiated blood, do not wait until the trouble is confirmed, but attack it by a timely use of *Dr. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters.* jy31-4w.

A Grant Club was organized in Beaver Falls on Friday of week before last. The following are the officers:

President—M. H. Shannon.
Vice Presidents—J. H. Fife and Rev. John McCarty.
Secretary—J. H. Stevenson.
Treasurer—J. L. B. Dawson.
Corresponding Sec'y—W. F. Modes.

ICE Cold Sparkling Soda Water, drawn from marble fountains, flavored with pure fruit Syrup—always fresh at Hugo Andriessen's Beaver Drug Store. je19;St

A substance which, it is believed, may become to some extent a substitute for cotton, was exhibited at a meeting of the Linnean Society in May. It was sent to Mr. Miers by the government of Brazil, and is produced by a climbing plant of unknown relationship, but frequent occurrence. The fibre is strong and silky.

PURE French Wine Vinegar for pickling, at Hugo Andriessen's Beaver Drug Store. aug14;2w.

There is a new invention in fishing. Out in West Virginia they sink a tin cartridge containing a pound of nitro-glycerine to the bottom of the river, explode it by an electrical battery, then pick up the fish, stunned but not killed, on the surface. At the falls of Kanawha, the other day, one fellow, with three pounds of nitro-glycerine, took three hundred and fifty pounds of fish.

FOR PICKLING—Pure French Wine Vinegar, triple strength—the best article for pickling, for sale at Hugo Andriessen's Beaver Drug Store. aug14;2t

A horrible accident occurred at the Etna furnace, in New Castle, on Tuesday last, about 11 o'clock, a. m., by which Thomas M'Marlin, an employee at the Etna furnace was almost instantly killed. His death was occasioned by his chest being literally crushed between two cars. His family reside near Harlansburg, Lawrence county. He was about 33 years of age and leaves a wife and four children to mourn his sad and untimely death.

A FARM FOR A STORE.—A first-class Dry Goods and Grocery Store in a good location, near to the best markets in this county—now doing a good business—can be had for a good farm. Store and building valued at from $15,000 to $20,000. The best reasons given for wanting to exchange. Apply to, or address Stevenson & Wittish, Beaver Falls, Pa. [je12;tf

The electric current, it has been ascertained, passes through the Atlantic cable at a velocity of from seven thousand to eight thousand nine hundred miles per second. When the wires are suspended in the air the rate is much greater and the speed increases with the height of suspension. Thus wires slightly elevated transmit signals at a rate of twelve thousand miles per second, and over those suspended at a considerable height the electric current passes at a velocity of from sixteen thousand to twenty thousand miles per second.

The bricklayers commenced work on the new College Building in this place on last Thursday morning. Messrs Houston & McLane have the contract for the brick work. They are very energetic mechanics, and will push the work forward with all the vigor they can command. The building when completed will be an imposing structure, and will add no little to the material progress and general appearance of Beaver.

MR. BRECHLING, in the Diamond of Rochester, is receiving Pure and Fresh Drugs every week from the East. He will sell nothing to his patrons but the purest articles, and ask the people only to buy once and they will be satisfied with both quality and price. His stock of patent medicines is very complete. Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours. jy24 tf.

Camp Meetings.—The Leetsdale camp meeting begins to-day (August 14). A number of our citizens are already on the ground, and a great many more, we presume, will be, before its exercises are brought to a close.

Camp meeting services will also commence at "Fish Pot Hollow," Raccoon township, in this county, on next Wednesday, August 21st. This is a shady, well-watered locality, and for a quiet, healthful retreat offers unusual attractions. A large boarding tent, under the management of the family of Mr. —— Springer, will furnish food for those who attend the meeting without taking their own provision with them.

Explosions of kerosene lamps are frequently produced in the attempt to extinguish them by blowing down the chimney. This is a very dangerous practice, and should always be avoided. The desired result will be accomplished much more certainly and safely by giving a sharp and rather prolonged puff exactly at right angles to the top of the chimney. The draft thus created draws the flame away from the wick, when the carbonic acid immediately below the departing flame also extinguishes the red-hot charred end of the wick.

Suicide.—A very strange case of suicide occurred in New Castle about 9 o'clock Thursday evening last, Mr. Enos Linagan, an industrious and respectable citizen of that place went to bed at an early hour on the evening referred to, but shortly after retiring, he got up and went out of the house. Soon after he was found in a low chicken coop, hanging by the neck, but his legs and part of his body were on the ground. He was dead. The rash act was doubtless caused by mental aberration.

Five Hundred Thousand.—500,000 Bottles of *Green's August Flower* has been sold in this State in three months. We only ask you to go to the drug stores of Hugo Andriessen, Beaver, S. Hannen, Rochester, or Gilliland & Kerr, New Brighton, Pa., and get a bottle *free of charge*, or a regular size at seventy-five cents. Every Bottle warranted to cure Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint, Sick-headache, Costiveness, Heartburn, Waterbrash, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Impure Blood, or deranged Stomach and liver. Use Dr. Boschee's German Syrup for consumption. nov29;1y.

Let a jar, pitcher or vessel used for water be surrounded with one or more folds of coarse cotton constantly wet; the evaporation of the water will carry off the heat from the inside and reduce it to a low temperature. In India and other tropical countries, where ice cannot be procured, this excellent expedient is common. Let every mechanic and laborer have at the place of his work two pitchers thus provided, and lids or covers, one to supply water for the evaporation, and he can always have a supply of cold water in warm weather.

A Mysterious Death.—A young man named Daniel W. Harvey, was found dead in an oil tank, on Island Run, near Smith's Ferry last Sunday morning, under rather mysterious circumstances. There were but six and a half inches of water in the tank, and it was difficult to understand how the young man lost his life through mere accident. He had previously expressed himself as tired of life, and some are of the opinion that he may have committed suicide. He had been in the tank, it is supposed, about twenty hours, when found. Justice Almey held an inquest, and the jury found a verdict of accidental death. The deceased was only nineteen years of age.—*Dispatch Aug. 8.*

PERHAPS no real medicine ever gained the rapid popularity which Castoria has done. One person relates their experience of its good effects to another. It is a vegetable preparation, perfectly harmless, pleasant to take; does not distress or gripe, but relieves the system, and is sure to operate when all other remedies have failed. Any person who has ever used Castoria for Stomach Ache, Constipation, Croup, Flatulency, Worms, Piles or deranged Liver, will never again use nauseating Oil, Bitter Pills or Narcotic Syrups. The Castoria contains neither Minerals, Morphine nor Alcohol. By its soothing, quieting effect it produces natural sleep, and is peculiarly adapted to crying and teething children. It costs but 35 cents, and one bottle will *save many dollars in doctors' bills.*

A Horrible Death.—Our young friend, Joseph E. Hoover, has furnished us the following: A man named George Leyda, residing near New Harrisburg in Carroll county, was pitching some hay from a wagon in his barn on last Saturday, when his horses gave a sudden start, causing him to lose his balance, when the fork handle ran into the side of the mow and became fast, the man falling against the fork. The prongs entered below his cheek bone, penetrated through his head, and came out above his ear. The man lingered in great agony until Monday morning, when death relieved him of his sufferings.—*Tuscarawas Advocate.*

New Varieties of Buckwheat.—The Germantown *Telegraph* says: Commissioner Watts is distributing what purports to be a new variety of buckwheat. It is something of an innovation on the usual run of things to have a new form of this old plant, which seems to have been the same old buckwheat for so many years. This one is said to have a golden hull, but in what respects it is an improvement does not appear. The buckwheat crop, when the seed has been sown in season, is by no means an unprofitable one, and it is rather remarkable that it should have remained so long without any attempt at selecting any varying forms for improvement; and whether this particular form proves of much value or not, the Commissioner has done well in thus calling attention to a neglected but important crop. Now that a start has been made in the buckwheat direction we shall expect to see the usual excitement in new varieties.

The Campaign in Pennsylvania.—The Liberal Republican campaign has been formally opened by the State Committee by the engagement of Prof. Leo Miller, of New York, one of the ablest campaign speakers during the Lincoln campaign of 1860 and the Grant election in 1868. Prof. Miller speaks at Easton this evening; at Sharon August; 10; Mercer on the 12th; Meadville 13th; Franklin 14th; Oil City 15th; Corry 16th; Erie 17th; Washington 19th, and Beaver Falls on the 20th.

The indications are that the people of this State will not have any cause to complain for want of enlightenment as to the issues of the coming contest, the Liberals having engaged the services of Senator Carl Schurz, General N. P. Banks, Governor Fenton of New York, Senator Tipton, of Nebraska; Governor Bradford, of Maryland, General Kilpatrick, Governor Blair, of Michigan; Senator Trumbull and Governor Palmer of Illinois, besides a number of able Liberal Republicans of Pennsylvania.—*Phil. Post Aug. 8.*

The Crops.—What with the severe winter, dry spring, and wet harvest the wheat crop in this county is pronounced two-thirds less than a full average. But, whilst we have made a short wheat crop, we are glad to learn that the prospect for a good corn and potato crop is very cheering. Although neither of these crops are out of danger, the season thus far has been very favorable to their growth, the hot weather and fine showers of rain pushing them on with great rapidity, so that we have every reason to hope for a very good yield of each. With plenty of corn and potatoes, we shall not so seriously miss the wheat crop. The yield of apples is large, and peaches promise well.

Conferee Meeting.—The Congressional Conferees of Washington, Greene, Lawrence and Beaver counties, after a session of two days, in Pittsburgh, last week, closed their labors by nominating William S. Moore, of Washington Co., on the 60th ballot. Mr. Henry, we understand, advised his friends to withdraw his name from the conference, which was done, when the above result was soon reached.

The game has been well played by the ring-masters to have a clear course for Quay's pet, Rutan. Washington was appeased by giving her Congressman and one Assemblyman; Butler, two Assemblymen; Beaver, one Assemblyman and State Senator—of course, Mr. Henry had to take a back seat when coming in conflict with Quay's interest in Rutan.

A Programme of Promises.—It is said the "ring managers" have been busy for some time past in making out a programme of promises for official positions in this county. The number is said to embrace about 200 names. All the offices for five years ahead are to be promised right away, so that the expectants will go to work now for the "whole ticket." Of course these promises are worth nothing as scores of mutilated "political corpses," can testify who "know how it is themselves." We have only the names of a few of the new "promisees," but presume our readers will have little difficulty in picking out the last one of them by their great activity and furious demonstrations in favor of the whole ticket, before the present campaign progresses far.

PROMPT to time, comes along the August number of that pure and beautifully illustrated *home* paper—the People's Monthly," Pittsburgh, Pa. This number contains seven appropriate illustrations. The "Household," and "Boys and Girls" department are as full of interest as usual, while the original stories are *fully* up to the mark. This instalment of the serial "Old Fort Duquesne," is unusually touching. The description of the death, by the riverside, of the Old Naturalist, abounds in pathos. We are glad to testify to the sterling merit of this deserving Western enterprise. It should be in the homes all who have growing children to be instructed and entertained. *Extraordinary* inducements are now offered by it, both to subscribers and agents, male or female. Send for circular and sample. Good agents wanted in every neighborhood.

The origin of the Chester county hog is explained. About thirty-five years ago James Jeffries, a ship captain, occupied a farm on the forks of the Brandywine, a few miles from West Chester, after retiring from the seas. His ship used to trade between Liverpool and Wilmington, Del., and on one of these voyages he procured a couple of hogs from Bedfordshire, with the view of introducing them into the county. They were then called the Bedford breed, and have been recognized by Englishmen who were familiar with them about that time in Bedfordshire. At present the breed of hogs there is not so distinct having been crossed more or less with others, from this origin they have been generally distributed in Chester and surrounding counties, and are now known as the Chester county breed. They are pure white.

The Conneautville *Courier* says: About ten o'clock on Tuesday Mr. Lewis Scott, about thirty years of age, while at work in Stratton's steam saw mill at Evansburg, Crawford county, met with a horrible death. He was attempting to throw a belt on the pulley on the main shaft, when his right arm was caught and he was drawn around the shaft, which was making four hundred revolutions per minute. At each revolution he struck a beam about a foot above the pulley, fairly mashing his body to a jelly. The right arm and both legs were torn completely off, one of the legs being thrown some ten feet from the body; the entire back portion of the head was mashed to a pulp, his face, singular to relate, escaping. His brains were spattered over the mill, and pieces of flesh and bones were found many feet from the scene. The remains, when gathered up, presented a most horrible sight, too shocking even for imagination.

St. Rose's Pic-nic.—A Pic-nic will be held at Cannelton, Beaver county, Pa., on Wednesday, August 21st, 1872, for the benefit of St. Rose's new church. Visitors may expect a pleasant time. Among the attractions unusual of the occasion will be the Air-gun Shooting, Magneto-Electric Battery, Comic Stereoscopic Views, and the "Wheel of Fortune."

Old and young who wish to enjoy a good day's fun should attend, as such opportunities occur but seldom. A Brass and String Band will be in attendance. Dance commences at 10 a. m.

N. B.—Through the kindness of P. L. Grim, Superintendent of the Economite rail road, visitors coming by New Galilee from the East and West will be furnished a train to leave at 10 a. m. for the Grove, and return at 5:30 p. m., connecting with evening trains on the Pitts. Ft. Wayne & Chicago rail road. The train will stop at Darlington coming and returning from the Pic-nic.

Unwilling to Part with Him.—Mrs. Mary Louth who yesterday charged her husband with desertion and abandonment was obliged to pay the costs to-day, the case being discharged. The accused at the hearing yesterday stated that he was an inventor, and has made several trips to Europe, for the purpose of prosecuting his various enterprises. He has a good deal of property, and, instead of his wife and family being unprovided for by him, he furnishes not only all necessaries and comforts, but the luxuries of life. Before starting away from home this time, he deposited in the First National Bank, of Birmingham, the sum of $3,500 for his wife, and gave the cashier of the bank power of attorney to pay her thirty dollars every two weeks. He also directed the cashier to pay the rent of the house occupied by the family and to provide for a year's supply of coal. The President of the bank and the neighbors of the family were summoned as witnesses and corroborated the defendant's statements fully. He was, of course, honorably discharged.—*Pitts. Mail August 8th.*

People who are such fools as to stake their money on horse races might have their eyes opened a little by reading such a fact as this, which is told of Mr. Harper, the owner of Longfellow, and his white rider, before the race at Long Branch. The old man observed something mysterious, but said nothing. He telegraphed to Kentucky for the colored boy, who had driven Longfellow before, to be sent immediately to Long Branch. He arrived; but not a word was said, and the white rider was dressed for the contest with Harry Bassett. Then the old man told him that he thought the colored boy could ride better that day than he. The colored boy was dressed in a moment, mounted upon Longfellow, and won the race. And now comes the conclusion: The white boy was seen by Mr. Harper to have a roll of money, howing that he had been tampered with.

Aurora Borealis.—At about eight o'clock on Saturday evening, 3d instant, our people were astonished by one of the most magnificent displays of the "northern lights" ever witnessed in this latitude. We learn that this phenomenon was witnessed extensively throughout the United States and the Canadas. It would have excited little attention above ordinary curiosity, but for the fact that a well-known and most scientific astronomer named Plantamour, about four months since prophesied that a comet would strike the American Continent at about eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the twelfth of August, 1872. Science day by day becomes more positive and exact, and a statement like this, which two hundred years ago might have been couched in mysterious phrases and given us as an inspiration direct from heaven, is now made certain by the skill and celebrity of the scholar, who manifests his theory on actual study. But the time has passed and the sun rises and sets as usual. Scientific calculations are at fault and mother earth pursues her wonted diurnal rounds.

A Glimpse of One's Self.—Did you ever catch a glimpse of yourself unexpectedly in a looking-glass and think it was a stranger approaching? And did you never get a sudden view of your own personality by means of a psychic accident such as that? A friend of mine who is as unconceited as any man I know, told me that he once seen his own character that way and it brought tears to his eyes. It was only for an instant—a flash of lightning in a dark night—but he was confident it made a better man of him. It gave him firmer faith in his friends. It manifested what there was in him that was possible for them to love. It made him happy and humble. He knew that those about him did not see all; but he strove ever after to be true to that gracious vision of himself.

An Editor in Luck.—Our esteemed friend and editorial co-laborer, W. S. Moore, esq., of the Washington *Reporter*, is in luck. He was nominated for Congress by the conferees of the 24th District last week at the Monongahela House in Pittsburgh. Mr. Moore never even announced his name in his own paper for that office, nor had he been attending the sessions of the conferees at Pittsburgh, and moreover we believe he had no aspirations in that direction whatever. The nomination has therefore, been literally thrust upon him. This, of course, all speaks well for Mr. Moore, and should he be so fortunate as to be elected at the October election he will have it to say that it was through no connivance or disreputable scheming of his own that the *nomination* for the office was obtained.

List of Grand Jurors for September Term, 1872.

Graham Robt, for'n
Foulk S C
Jackson James A
McCreery Wm
Wilson John
Alcorn James
Darragh Jas
Eakin Nathan
Bonzo John
Wack Christ
Knight Lewis
Gormley David

Irwin J C
Irons Jas
Brittain Jeremiah
Schaubel Wm
Henry James
Cooper Robert
Shannon Samuel
McKibben J B
Figley John
Wilson Andrew
Hays C H
Thorn A C

PETIT JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

Houston Robert
McCreery H B
Lyons Samuel
Beatty Elmatrine
Campbell William
Hendrickson Sam'l
Ralliston Robert
Cheney John B
Duerr Frederick G
Nickle Matthew
Berry L J
Forney Jonathan
Reed David
Deamor Jacob
Nannah Jesse
Neely S W
Brewer James
Newell James
McClure John sr
Paul Jonathan
Leech Andrew
Teets William
Kattarar Frederick
Brewer Elias
Dillon James

Lawrence A J
Camp Christian
Cooper Phillip B
Irwin George M
Graham John W
Grove Charles
Reno Eli
Hipple Henry
Miller Andrew R
Zahn Caspar
Irwin James
McCaskey Geo
Cummings Jas
Gibson John A
Potter James
Kerr Frank
Kennedy Samuel jr
Freed John
May Joseph
Lynch John
Curtis Smith
Gilliland David
Porter George A
Baker George
Graham Harrison

SECOND WEEK,

Imbrie D L
Cain Geo
Butler Thomas
Caruthers Jesse
Edgar R B
Potter Jno K
Hartman Jno
Whisler Abilard
Glasser Jacob
Neely Samuel
Eachel Samuel
McCarter Jno
Andrews James
May John
Price John F
Duncan James
Montgomery John
Bennett Wm
Campbell Jos

Ormes Jerry
O'Rourke Jno P
Reed Archibald
Harrison Wm
Little Geo
Calvert Wm
Young George M
Hurst Wm
Conway John
Reese Phillip
Paul Jonathan
Wiseman Peter
Eaton John
Dunlap Samuel R
Irwin Jonathan
Madden Daniel
Mackall James
Cunningham Sam'l
Childs John

Fire at Haysville.—On Saturday afternoon a fire occurred at Haysville, on the line of the P. Ft W. & C. R. R., eleven miles from the city by which a hotel and summer resort kept by R. E. Robinson was totally destroyed by fire. The conflagration was discovered about one o'clock in the afternoon issuing from one of the upper rooms of the building, having caught from a defective flue. The alarm was at once given, and as might be supposed, a consternation was the result, there being no males about the house except the colored porters, who became panic stricken and were utterly useless in endeavoring to squelch the flames or save property. There were between fifty and sixty ladies and children—boarders in the house—in the building at the time, and they became almost wild when the cry of fire was raised. The building being a frame and the material therefore very combustible, the flames spread with great rapidity, and it was the work scarcely of half an hour for the fire king to secure his triumph and reduce the entire building to ashes, leaving nothing but the bare chimneys.

The billiard rooms, bowling saloon and gymnasium attached to the hotel, also fell prey to the devouring element, as did the barn in the rear.

Mrs. J. R. McCune and Mrs. McNish narrowly escaped from the building with their lives.

The boarders lost nearly everything they had, the only articles that were rescued from the flames being a large mirror that was in the dining-room, and some small pieces of furniture. A vast amount of silverware and valuables belonging to the house and boarders was lost.

The total loss amounts to about $30,000 partially covered by insurance.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment of the Constitution of this Commonwealth be proposed to the people for their adoption or rejection, pursuant to the provisions of the tenth article thereof, to wit

AMENDMENT:

Strike out the sixth section of the sixth article of the Constitution, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A State Treasurer shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State, at such times and for such term of service as shall be prescribed by law."

WILLIAM ELLIOTT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JAMES S. RUTAN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-second day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

JOHN W. GEARY.

Prepared and certified for publication pursuant to the Tenth Article of the Constitution. FRANCIS JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
OFFICE SEC'Y OF THE COM'TH,
HARRISBURG, June 26th, 1872.
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Store Robbed.—The dry goods store of S. J. Cross & Co., of Rochester, was entered on last Sabbath night by some person or persons unknown, and silks and other fine goods to the amount of about three hundred dollars were stolen.

Horrible Accident.—The people of St. Petersburg and vicinity were thrown into a state of great excitement early Monday morning by the intelligence that a fatal accident had taken place on the Filman farm, near Turkey Run. The news flew over the country and caused intense excitement, and hundreds of people abandoned whatever work they had on hand and hastened to the spot. The extent of the disaster was unknown, but all feared the worst.

It seems that five men were at a well on the Filman farm, either as drillers or lookers-on, when the tools struck a crevice of the sand rock, and an immense volume of gas was liberated from its long imprisonment and rushed with great force up through the well and almost instantly communicated with the fire under the boiler and exploded with great force, enveloping the engine house and derrick. All was the work of an instant, and the men working at the well had no time for flight and were caught in the burning gas and three of them, Nelson Vensel, Michael Shoup and Alex. McGee, were burned to death. Martin Frank was dangerously and John Malthorn slightly burned.

I AM paying the highest market price in cash or trade for old mowing machines, or for any other old iron which may be brought in. I keep a general assortment of glassware, queensware, and tinware; also brass and copper kettles of different sizes and qualities, J. M. Phillis.

Breaking Jail at Meadville.—On Sunday evening last, at about eight o'clock, it was discovered that five prisoners had escaped from the Meadville jail.

They effected their escape by sawing off the iron bars at one of the gratings in the rear end of the building and bending them back. They then crawled out and got on the street running along the rear of the jail and so made good their escape.

We are unable to learn the names of all who escaped, but among them was Williams, who, it will be remembered, stole a horse last May from the stable of W. T. Neil, esq., of this city, and was afterwards captured and sent to Meadville to wait trial. Another of the party was Richards, who robbed a Mr. Groat, just above the Titusville Driving Park, of $250. A boy named John C. Mooney was also of the party. His parents reside in this city, and he was confined for some petty offence, having been led away by bad associates. He was always before his arrest considered a very trustworthy honest boy, and has certainly made a grave mistake in joining the jailbreakers.

James Pardu, of this city, who was in jail awaiting trial, on a charge of incendiarism, refused to leave with the rest, and dissuaded other prisoners from following. He is the young man who was arrested upon suspicion that he attempted to set fire to the American House. Up to yesterday afternoon none of the escaped prisoners have been caught, and no extraordinary effort seemed to be making to rearrest them.—*Courier.*

Following a Circus.—Last night at about midnight, Lieutenant Hager, of the Mayor's police, was passing along Penn street, when he was approached by two young girls who asked him to direct them to the Red Lion Hotel. They were evidently strangers, and the Lieutenant questioned them. In answer to his queries they told him they belonged in Erie, and had come here to visit an aunt, Mrs. Gray. They could not find her, and so were looking for a place to stay all night. They were well acquainted with one of the star performers of the circus, they said. They gave his name, and stated that they had gone to school with him and knew him intimately. They had heard that he was stopping at the Red Lion, and if they found him, he would take them under his protection.

The officer went with them to the Red Lion, but the man they sought was not there. They then went to the Robinson House and made inquiries. The young man they sought was stopping there, and I was summoned. He, however, denied all acquaintance with the girls. He said he had been introduced to them at Beaver Falls when the circus was exhibiting there last week, but had no further acquaintance with them than that. He refused to have anything to do with them. They had no money, and the hotel authorities refused to allow them to stop at the hotel in any case, as some of their language and actions were not of the best.

Finally they accompanied the officer to the office of the Central Station House. There in view of some rather disorderly conduct in which they indulged it was decided to lock them up until this morning. Accordingly they were placed in a cell, and kept there until the Mayor's morning court was over, when they were brought before his Honor.

They told the Mayor the same story that they had told the Lieutenant, saying that they were sisters, and lived in Erie. They gave their ages as fifteen and sixteen years, respectively. It was asked how they came to Beaver Falls, and also how they came here without any money. It was replied that their mother gave them money enough to go to Economy to visit an aunt, and they concluded to come on here to visit their other aunt, Mrs. Gray. They gave their residence as Walnut street, Erie, but could not give the number of their residence.

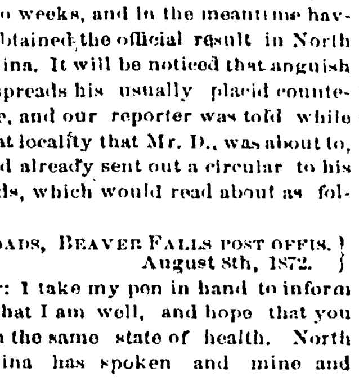
The Mayor decided to telegraph to Erie so that their father could come for them if he wished, and told the girls they would be kept in custody until an answer was received. This seemed like a rather unpromising prospect to the girls. One of them called Lieut. Hagar to one side and informed him that they had been lying, that they did not live in Erie at all, but at New Brighton, and it would be a hopeless wait to wait for an answer to a dispatch sent to Erie. The girls then confessed that they were not sisters, and gave their names, which we withhold, and the name and address of their father. They had become infatuated with the young man whose name they had used, and with the idea of circus life and had followed the circus here in the hope of obtaining situations in the company. Chief Irwin telegraphed to the fathers of the girls, and in the meanwhile the two children, (for they are scarcely more than children) are kept there in custody until answers to the dispatches are received.—*Pitts. Chronicle.*

The Pittsburgh *Commercial* of Friday last adds the following to the above strange case of infatuation:

An account has already been published of the two girls, Annie Young and Lizzie Reed, who ran away from their homes in New Brighton and followed a circus company to this city. It will be remembered that they were arrested here, and that on Wednesday afternoon they were taken to their homes. Yesterday, strange to say, the two girls are reported to have been seen riding on horseback in East Liberty, where the circus exhibited. Lieut. Mart Hazen, who, with Lieut. Hager, accompanied the girls to their New Brighton home, from this city, are after them again. Mr. Hazen has but little encouragement in the task, however, for the reason that when he delivered the girls up at New Brighton on Wednesday, one of their mothers told him that he was "the circus fellow" who enticed them away, and she knew that "he acted in the Ring." The Lieutenant felt aggrieved at this accusation, and will redouble his efforts to capture the runaways.

The North Carolina Election—Time's Changes.—The result of the election in North Carolina is as follows: the Grant men have elected their State ticket by about 1000 majority, while the Greeley party have secured five out of the eight congressmen, and a majority in both branches of the State Legislature, which gives them a United States Senator in place of Pool (Grant man) whose term expires March 4, 1873. Four years ago, General Grant carried the State by 12,900 majority, and his friends confidently expected to be able to carry it on the 1st of this month by a similar or greater number of votes.

Some one, whose name we have not yet ascertained, had apprised Mr. J. L. B. Dawson Esq., the Beaver Falls postmaster of the political condition of things in North Carolina four years ago, hence two days before the election on the first of this month, we sent a special reporter to that town to interview Mr. D. and if possible to obtain a photograph of that illustrious individual. After many trials and tribulations he succeeded in attaining the desired end, and here is a faithful likeness of Mr. D. as he appeared two days before the North Carolina election:



Fully realizing that time's changes were worth noting, we sent the same reporter to Beaver Falls one week *after* the North Carolina election, and after a two hour's search of the most dilligent character that enterprising man succeeded in unearthing Mr. Dawson, and obtaining a second portrait of that popular, indefatigable, handsome, clever, *gentlemanly* official. If the reader will now turn this paper upside down and take a look at the above cut he will see what changes time made on Mr. D., in the short space of two weeks, and in the meantime having obtained the official result in North Carolina. It will be noticed that anguish overspreads his usually placid countenance, and our reporter was told while in that locality that Mr. D., was about to, or had already sent out a circular to his friends, which would read about as follows:

X ROADS, BEAVER FALLS POST OFFIS, }
August 8th, 1872. }

SUR: I take my pen in hand to inform you that I am well, and hope that you are in the same state of health. North Carolina has spoken and mine and Grant's majority has been cut down about eleven thousand within four years and eight thousand within one year. I tell you the times am pregnant with something. Them libral fellers mean bisiness, and in the language of Beaver county's illustriousest sun (Hal Patterson) I ask you to strike for your altars, strike for your fires, strike for the green graves of your sires, and strike for me and the Beaver Falls post offis.

Yours truly, J. L. B. DAWSON.

P. S. Go in strong, and don't forget me and the post offis. J. L. B. D.

P. S. No. twice—liberty is sweet, liberty costs something; don't forgit these things and mind me and the post offis. J. L. B. D.

P. S. number three times. I have done nothing for a year but tend this offis and try to git people to quit taken the ARGUS. Don't forgit me and the post offis.

J. L. B. D.

Bounties to Soldiers.—*To the Editors of the Lycoming Standard:*—SIR: The article you send me, cut from the Pittsburgh *Commercial*, is a remarkable specimen of mendacity, concocted upon the pretense of reciting my record in Congress.

I take the first item given in the article for illustration:

"December 21, 1863.—On an amendment to the Deficiency Appropriation Bill, 'that no bounties except such as are now provided by law shall be paid to any person enlisting after the 5th day of January next,' Mr. Buckalew voted nay."

Upon this the *Commercial* says:

"He voted against paying bounties to volunteers. He would have deprived the soldier of all bounties because he hated the cause for which they fought, and wanted to discourage the enlistment of volunteers."

In fact the bill in question was for an appropriation of twenty millions of dollars "for the payment of bounties and advance pay" to soldiers, and I was for it heartily and voted for its passage. The record shows that I was present and that the bill passed unanimously. The amendment mentioned above, against which I voted, was an amendment to *reduce* bounties, or to prevent the military authorities from paying more than $100 bounty for each soldier after 5th of January, 1864, whereas they were then paying $300 under the President's proclamation of 17th October, 1863. The President had called for three hundred thousand men and had promised this larger bounty to all who should come into the service before the 5th of January following, except veterans re-enlisting, who were to receive $400. The amendment was simply to prevent the President from paying, or engaging to pay, under any circumstances, more than $100 in future. I was opposed to this amendment and voted against it, considering it to be unwise, unjust and impracticable—unwise because it would discourage the filling of the army and limit the President's discretion in case of emergency; unjust because it would fix different rates of compensation for soldiers of equal merit and serving for equal terms, and wholly impracticable because neither the spirit of the country nor the manhood of the soldier would sanction it. I may add that it was *not* maintained afterwards, for the larger bounties were voted and paid. For instance, the Joint Resolution of January 16, 1864, provided, that the larger bounties should continue to be paid from the 5th of January to the 1st of March of that year, and by subsequent legislation the ground taken by me in my vote of 22d of December, was fully assumed and endorsed by Congress.

This false imputation which I have exposed is no more gross and unjust than many others in the article sent me, but I have taken it because it stands first in order among them and constitutes a fit representative of the whole.

C. R. BUCKALEW.

August 7, 1872.

Note.—See Congressional Globe, 1st Session, 38th Congress 79 80, 57-68; App. the same, 263

Postal Matters in Pennsylvania.—The whole number of postoffices in the State is two thousand eight hundred and fifty-three. The two most important, rated by the salaries of the postmasters, are the Philadelphia and Pittsburgh offices. The next in importance are Allegheny, Easton, Meadville, Titusville, Tidioute, Erie, Reading, Pottsville, Scranton, Williamsport and Harrisburg.

Of those paying salaries of two thousand dollars and over, there are thirty-one, viz: Allentown, Altoona, Ashland, Bethelhem, Carlisle, Chambersburg, Chester, Columbia, Corry, Danville C. H., Franklin, Honesdale, Johnstown Lebanon, Lewisburg, Lock Haven, Mauch Chunk, New Castle, Norristown, Oil City, Petroleum Centre, Pleasantville, Pittston, Pottstown, Rousevill Sharon, Warren, West Chester, Wilkesbarre, and York.

The next in importance and paying one thousand dollars and over, are Bedford, Bellefonte, Bloomsburg, Bristle, Brookville, Brownsville, Buchanan, Butler, Carbondale, Catawissa, Coatesville, Clearfield, Doylestown, Gettysburg, Greensburg, Greenville, Hanover, Hazelton, Hollidaysburg, Hyde Park, Indiana, Kittanning, Lewistown, McKeesport, Mahoning City, Mechanicsburg, Media, Mercer, Middletown, Millersville, Milton, Minersville, Montrose, Muncy, New Brighton, Northeast, Oxford, Parker's Landing, Phillipsburg, Phoenixville, Plymouth, Providence, Shippensburg, Stroudsburg, Sunbury, Susquehanna Depot, Tamaqua, Troy, Tyrone, Uniontown, Washington, Waynesburg, Wilkesborough and White Haven.

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There are one hundred and eighteen post-mistresses, if that is the proper title for female postmasters, and of this proportionately large number, many of them represent the more important and better paying offices. For example Miss Martha J. Lazarus dispenses postal facilities to the village of Audenreid; Mary A. McGaffic, at Beaver; Miss M. Henderson, at Blairsville; Mrs. Elizabeth A. McGinnis, at Canonsburg; Ellen D. Rheem, at Carlisle, which is one of the high salaried offices; Adaline Creveling, at Catasauqua; Mrs. Martha E. Gordon, at Coatesville; Miss Emily H. Scott, at McKeesport; Mrs. Jane F. Riter, at Mauch Chunk, the Switzerland of America, and a better paying office of the same kind than its namesake can boast of; Mrs. Mary Rockafellar, at Mechanicsburg; Mrs. Elizabeth Rice at Mercersburg; Mary P. Higley, at Minersville; Mrs. C. R. Cuthbertson, at New Brighton; Mrs. Tillie Olden, at Parker's Landing; Mrs. Mary Levi at Plymouth; Mrs. Margaret Oliver at Port Carbon; Miss Margaret Sillyman at Pottsville; Matilda Fritz at Reading, with a salary nearly half equal to that of a Cabinet Ministry; Mrs. Mary Mateer at St. Clair; Mrs. A. J. Haunon at Schuylkill Haven; Mrs. H. Ogle at Somerset; Miriam A. Lee at Stroudsburg, and Mrs. S. A. Ohl at Summit Hill. These offices range in salaries from three hundred to three thousand five hundred dollars. So it will be seen that the ladies are not set down at the cross roads to superintend the distribution of mails.

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"THOSE" SEVENTEEN VOTERS."

BEAVER FALLS, August 12th, 1872.

MR. EDITOR: In last week's issue I noticed an article by "Anti-Ring" in which he expresses himself somewhat disappointed in not securing more articles from Beaver Falls in the county papers concerning the ring movements and its leaders. Now I, like "Anti-Ring," have always voted the Republican ticket, and would, I think, vote it again, in any other state in the Union. But—well, one thing I will say. I will never vote it so long as such men as old Simon Cameron attempts to dictate.

As for Jim Dawson and the Patterson brotherhood, why— why not let them go on and talk? for it is evident it is, it is nothing but talk, or they would find more than "seventeen Republicans" whose vote is too "hefty for their Breeches pockets." I wonder what the fountain heads of all political knowledge at Beaver Falls would say, to sixty wilful fellows, who think they are old enough to do their own thinking on politics? Would it not be better for Quay to "sail into" his tools at this point, and see how it comes that Beaver Falls has gone so far estray? A vast amount of labor to be performed in this field, "corporal." See to it. MECHANIC.

HARRISBURG, August 9, 1872.

SIR: I take the liberty of writing you a few lines in reference to a windy challenge of Mr. R. W. Mackey, State Treasurer, to Col. John W. Forney, inviting him to investigate the Treasury vaults, &c &c

Now, I happen to be in a position to know that it has subjected Mr. Mackey to great trouble to put the treasury vaults in condition for the inspection of any one not in his interest. IT IS NOT TRUE THAT ONE DOLLAR of the money lost by the Yerkes failure has ever been paid into the treasury; and I also know that Col. Forney's charges ARE TRUE IN EVERY PARTICULAR except as to the Camerons being on Mackey's bond. Oh, no; the Camerons control the treasury, but you do not catch them on the Treasurer's bond. When failures come you do not find the Camerons caught in a trap. Somebody else must foot the bill.

To explain. Mr Mackey is connected with The Allegheny National Bank, and has a brother in-law interested in The Central Bank at Pittsburgh, and these two banks—assisted by The First National Bank at Harrisburg, The Union Banking Company and People's Bank at Philadelphia—placed the Treasury vaults in a condition for public inspection. This is the true state of the case, and I repeat that Mr. Forney is perfectly safe in his charges, for they are true with the above exception. It took Mackey a month after Forney's statement of its condition to put the treasury in trim to support his challenge for an investigation to cover his cash tracks. Mr. Forney can afford to talk plain and give the people the truth, as no one belonging to the Treasury Ring dare sue him for libel.

My reason for writing to you is because I think you do not fear to publish the truth. The papers here are all controled by the Treasury Ring—even "The Patriot" is no exception. The "Pittsburgh Commercial," formerly so reliable, is now owned by the same Ring of corrupt rascals, and will only publish such articles as are in their defense. This is a deplorable fact. There is not a day passes that money from the State Treasury is not used in speculations for private purposes, by the most corrupt brotherhood of villains that ever disgraced a State capital.

A word for General Hartranft, with whom I am well acquainted and can say without fear of successful contradiction, that when he entered upon the duties of Auditor General he was an honest man, but he was fearfully led astray by the Cameron Mackey Treasury Ring; and to this moment he seems blind to the depths of the pit of political and official dishonesty into which they are leading him. He was first tempted by J. D. Cameron, Wm. H. Kemble, R. W. Mackey, and a man named Quay, from the western part of the State, to go into one of the most iniquitous tax schemes that ever was attempted here. TRUTH.

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FERGUSON—In Beaver Falls, July 23, 1872, Robert K. Ferguson, age 30 years.

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Called him early to the skies.
N. A. F.

New Advertisements.

List of Applicants for License at Sept. Session, 1872.

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ESTATE of ROBERT K. FERGUSON, deceased.—*Whereas*, Letters testamentary to the estate of Robert K. Ferguson, late of the borough of Beaver Falls, in the county of Beaver and State of Pennsylvania, dec'd., have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same without delay, to ANNETTA A. FERGUSON, Beaver Falls Aug. 7, 1872. Administratrix. aug14;6w*

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FIRST WEEK.

Catherine Marker *et al* vs. C. & P. R. R. Co.
Samuel Gilliland's adm'r vs Samuel Reed's ex'rs
James Mitchell vs William Kennedy
S P Ross vs Milton Brown
Jacob G Nye vs Jordan C Nye
Miller, Dobson & Trax vs H R Foote
P H Stevenson vs Henry Cowan
Hannah Cheny vs Wm E Cheny
T W Anderson vs Henrici & Lenz tr's
D L Anderson vs T A Shinn *et al*

SECOND WEEK.

W W Dunkle vs John Grebing *et al*
James M Burns vs Hugh Anderson
Miller, Dobson & Trax vs Kooken & Brobeck
George Graham vs John Carvey
Joshua Calvin vs James G Calvin's ex'rs
Dennis Savory vs Milo A Townsend *et al*
John C Levis vs Wm F Barnes
R A McCullough vs S K Kane *et al*
Rufus P Covers vs the Boro of N Brighton
Snowden Brothers vs Chenny & Bro
John W Cook vs John Allshouse
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R Steinfeld vs John Wiley
George Youts vs R H Huddleson
John D Coffin vs Samuel J Cross
Thomas D Walker vs Cham. White *et al*
John Eaton vs A J Pettit
Clark Uselton vs Joseph Morgan
Miller & Co vs Isaac Scott *et al*
Ann Miller vs Jacob Miller
Harmony Savings Bank vs Abram Inman
J Walter & Bro vs George Poe
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SELECT MISCELLANY.

STORY OF MY FAILURE.

I don't suppose that in these days anybody cares for the troubles of authors. If a man or woman either expects to gain any sympathy for their heart-sickness by confiding their griefs to the public they are grievously mistaken. Who sympathizes with the failing voices of singers, who with the failing eyes of painters, who with the failing hearts of authors? Life is for the strong, the weak must die: such the creed of the day, a creed which shall hereafter bear a fruit that may much astonish its well-fed professors.

My only excuse for sharing my disappointment with the world is, that the incident which led to it was indirectly the result of my own stupidity. It may be a warning to others to read of it. My prospects as a *litterateur* were at first by no means discouraging. I had written sundry books for children which had been well received, and which brought in some profit, although not much. I had been engaged in a compilation for a publisher, whom I call Mr. Nixon. I had done the thing to his satisfaction, and I had almost completed an original work, which my publisher had nearly made up his mind to undertake. One morning I received from him a note which ran in this fashion: "Dear Barber, will you come down and dine on Thursday at six? I will talk over your book after dinner." Need I say that I accepted the invitation?

Nixon lived in a very pleasant mansion in Hertfordshire, a house lying on a sunny well-wooded slope, commanding a sweet fertile little valley through which wandered a streamlet, here and there expanding into a pool or tiny lake. It lay about a mile from the station, and a pleasant fieldpath led across to it through the churchyard. The train I came down by gave me a full hour to reach the house. I had dressed before I started, wearing a light coat over my dinner costume; and tempted by the fineness of the evening, I loitered slowly along the footpath till I came to the old Church. It was a dear old church. Now I am a great lover of churches, and delight especially in finding one untouched by the ravages of restorers. I had met the rector on the way, and knew that I should find his church almost intact, he being indeed a venerable ecclesiastic of the evangelical type. For when on my way to a church I meet a smart young parson with a cassock waistcoat and brisk business look, my heart sinks into my shoes. He means energy, *improvement*, smart little school-houses, smart church, restored after the ideas of one of the fashionable architects of the day, all the history of the old church gods, its meaning utterly effaced.

This little church at Hertfordshire had suffered only from church-wardens, who, being merely utilitarian creatures desirous of saving rates, had patched and plastered with unfeeling hands, but had left much untouched—much that delighted my church-loving eyes. I had entered by a little door on the north side; for my egress the old sexton unbarred the great south door, which opened into a porch whence the fair green church-yard sloped down to a thicket of flowering shrubs crowned by tall trees which hid the village parsonage. And on this pleasant summer evening the sight of those quiet graves, lit up by the slanting rays of the declining sun, gave a calm and quiet content to a restless heart. But there was one horrible sight that marred the peace and beauty of the scene. In a corner of the grave-yard stood a marble monument, as bright and shiney and staring as the whitest of marble and brightest of enamel could make it. Two angels, life-size—as far as I can judge, who have never met with any of the species—stood on the top with clasped hands pointing to the skies; at each corner of the tomb were iron pots with dangling chains.

The clock struck six; the old church had detained me longer than I fancied. I should be late for Mr. Nixon's dinner; and I knew him to be a punctual nervous man. I hurried on fast, and reached the house heated and flustered, found everybody waiting in the drawing-room, Nixon, watch in hand, cross and captious. I have not eaten his salt since, and I may disinterestedly confess that his dinner was an uncommon good one; and as I sat next to a pretty lively girl who was staying in the house, I enjoyed myself much. She, too, was a great lover of churches and drew me out upon the subject. Warmed by her approving glances, and by two or three glasses of champagne, I began to talk fast and well—gave her a graphic sketch of the old parson, the old sexton; and by and by I found that the conversation about me had ceased, and I had the ear of the table. I had come to the porch of the old church, and the pleasant God's acre and the hideous monument in the corner, and waxed righteously indignant on the subject. What right had a man, merely because he was rich, to disfigure such a simple, pretty spot with the vulgar memories of his wealth and ostentation? I scathed the angels with withering sarcasm, metaphorically I spat into the iron pots. As I spoke, a chill and shudder came over the people at the table; dessert was only just on, but the ladies rose, their wine untasted; my pretty friend fled from my side, and I was left at one end of the mahogany table dumb and confounded.

Nixon looked at me with a sickly smile.

"I've got a beastly headache," he said. "You won't mind my leaving you, Barber. Help yourself to wine; but mind and don't miss your train, for there's nothing after 8:20. I don't feel well enough to go into the book affair."

There was another guest beside myself, and we pushed the decanters about for a while, and then coffee was brought into us with a message that the ladies were very sorry, but Miss Nixon—Nixon was a widower, and his daughter presided at his table—was very poorly, would we take our coffee down stairs? I thought that they were an uncommonly queer family; but that I had done anything to cause the disturbance in the house I had not the least idea. The other guest and myself walked quietly off to the station, and passed through the church-yard. I went up to the horrible monument, drawn to it by an irresistible fascination—there was an inscription on the side.

"Sacred to the memory of Felicia, the beloved wife of John Nixon, Esq., of Founthill, in this parish." There was some poetry besides, but I couldn't read that. I could only sit down on a mound of turf and gasp for breath.

"What's the matter?"

"Why, it's his wife's monument I've been poking fun at!"

"Didn't you know?" said my friend.

"Know! do you think I'm such a heartless brute as to"—and then, despite my remorse and compunction, the comicality of the thing so struck my mind that I went off into a roar of laughter, in which my friend heartily joined.

We heard a rustling behing us, and hastily rising, we saw a dark figure turning back along the path to Founthill. It was Nixon, who, as I afterward found, every night paid a visit to the little church-yard on the hill. Poor faithful little soul! that I should have so wounded it, is to me one of the saddest memories of my life; and yet I can't help laughing whenever I think of it. I don't laugh, however, when I see my pile of unpublished MS. every day growing larger. If I subside eventually into a critic, those marble angels will be to blame for it.

Those who don't believe that a fly has 209,362 pores in his body, should catch one and count them.

EL COLORADO CHIQUITO.

Long before the Mayflower sighted the shores of America, or De Soto started on his perilous trip to the "Father of Waters," indeed, forty years after Columbus landed on San Salvador, El Colorado Chiquito, or the Little Colorado, was well known to the conquerors of Aztec Mexico. It was discovered by Coronado, or rather one of his captains, while searching for the mythical Kingdom of Cibola, and he called it El Rio Lena, or the Flax River, from the large quantities of wild flax growing upon its banks. Coronada instead of finding a wealthy kingdom, or in lieu of that an open sea to the north, came upon the Aztecs in the fortified city of Zuni, on a tributary of the Colorado Chiquito, and being foolish enough to attack it, he was routed and forced to fly South to the province of Culiacan. Since that day Central Arizona has been a virtual *terra incognita*, marked on our maps as "unexplored," though Beale and Whipple made line surveys through it before the war, and since then the public learned much about it through the letters of Major Calhoun, which appeared in the *Press* of Philadelphia. The Colorado Chiquito rises in the Sierra Blanco, a spur of the Sierra Madre, in Eastern Arizona about lat. 32° 30', and flows in a southwesterly course till it enters the Great Colorado in lat. 37. The river has never been traced through the last two hundred miles of its course, owing to the precipitous gorge, three thousand feet deep, through which it flows before joining the Great Colorado in the centre of that river's stupendous canon, which for six hundred miles flows below the surface of the plateau at an average depth of four thousand feet.

This region, so long unknown to the world, is about to be unlocked by the daring searchers for gold, who have "washed" in every stream and mined in every mountain from British Columbia to the rich placers of old Mexico. Strange that the fabled wealth which the Spaniards sought in vain three hundred and thirty years ago this very month should at last become a reality in the wonderful diamond fields recently discovered at the head waters of the Colorado Chiquito. This region is at present the hunting grounds of the still warlike Apaches. It is so rich in gold and silver that the Indians have been known to use both metals for bullets, some of which we have now in our possession. The Zunis to this day adorn their persons with strings of rudely cut torquoises, rubies and emeralds, while garnets of a superior quality are so common as to possess no value in their eyes. That in addition to this wonderful mineral wealth diamonds should be found is in truth astonishing, but not beyond credence to those who know the country.

It is a region that on every hand bespeaks a past greatness in its extensive canals for irrigation, now dry, and the crumbling walls of mighty buildings of an obsolete architecture. But the modern American will bring life to the dead land of the ancient American. The Colorado Chiquito will reflect strange dwellings on its banks, and, as the whistle of Roderick Dhu called up the clansmen from the silent heather, so, at the summons of modern enterprise, cities and towns will rise, and the ancient greatness will return never to depart, and from the mines where of old the Montezumas procured the jewels to deck their red-browed wives and daughters, strong hands will gather gems for white brows, and in the loveliness of both the past will be forgotten.

PETRIFIED PALM TREE.

A Remarkable Discovery Near Denver, Colorado.

A petrified palm tree has been discovered twenty miles north-east of Denver. It is twenty-two feet in diameter, and evidently grew where it lies. Last winter a hunter for curious specimens stumbled upon it and guessed its true character. Specimens were brought to Denver, and pronounced by the best authorities petrified palm wood. The first or butt section of the petrification is [illegible] feet long and the second 21 feet, the two sections measuring sixty feet. The Denver *News*, in a long article on the discovery, says:

"All this immense mass of wood has turned to stone, hard and flinty as porphyry. Some of it looks like agate, finely veined and delicately tinted; other with opaline lustre; some white as the driven snow, or with the polished [illegible]. Portions of the trunk must have been rotted, for its stony remains are honeycombed and the cavities filled with [illegible] crystals that sparkle in the sunlight like diamonds. Breaking into the [illegible] with heavy blows of a sledge-hammer reveals minute caves and grottoes glittering with stalactites and stalagmites of real crystal.

"It is useless to speculate upon the time when that giant of the forest flourished, or the hundreds of thousands of years during which a torrid sun daily kissed its shining leaves; of its fall and long immersion in the silicious bath that changed its very fibre to flint. It is history in stone, telling of changes in the condition and climate of this part of the world that may well make one shiver if he stops here fifty or hundred thousand years longer. Meantime, it can supply material for the walls of a court house, window sills and caps for all of Denver, or centre-table tops for the Western States."

The narrator was traveling over the Boston and Albany Railroad recently, and went into the smoking car to enjoy his pipe. A young fellow was in the car pretty well "set up," with whom the conductor had considerable trouble. On arriving at Springfield the young man made an attempt to get out. The conductor, however, was too quick for him. Seizing him by the collar, he thrust him back into his seat, with the remark that he couldn't get any rum there.

"Le' me get out," said he to the conductor; "it's a matter of the greatest 'portance I sh'd get out; 'tis a fortune to me."

"How so?" asked the conductor.

"Why, you see," replied the chap, "if I get out and take only two glasses mo' the I shall own the whole r'road."

In the Paris Court of Correctional Police, recently, a lady, by no means young, advanced coquettishly to the witness stand to give her testimony.

"What is your name?"

"Virginia Loustalot."

"What is your age?"

"Twenty-five." (Exclamations of incredulity from the audience.)

The lady's evidence being taken, she regained her place, still coquettishly bridling, and the next witness was introduced. This one was a full grown young man.

"Your name?"

"Isadore Loustalot."

"Your age?"

"Twenty-seven years."

"Are you a relative of the last witness?"

"I am her son."

"Ah, well," murmured the magistrate, "your mother must have married very young."

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QUIDDITIES.

A drunkard, upon hearing that the earth was round, said that accounted for his rolling about so much.

A writer on progress has truly said that steam is freeing the hands, that the head may rule and the heart grow.

The longest and most successful reign in history was the Deluge, and the greatest old sponge was King Porus.

The superiority of some men is merely local. They are great because their associates are little.—*Johnson.*

Josh Billings says: "Give the devil his due reads well enough in a proverb, but what will become of me and you if this arrangement is carried out?"

Though Diogenes lived in a tub, there might be, for aught I know as much pride under his rags, as in the fine spun garments of the divine Plato.—*Swift.*

How many have kept their health and spirits so as to be able to say as Taglioni says, "I would never know I was not young if I had not so much to remember."

"Little boy, can I go through to the river?" politely asked a fashionably dressed lady! "Perhaps so; a load of hay went through this morning," was the horrid reply.

Dobson says his friends seem determined to give him the title of Dr. His butcher, baker, and all the rest do so, but they put the Dr. after his name instead of before it.

True glory consists in doing what deserves to be written; in writing what deserves to be read; and in so living as to make the world happier and better for our living in it.

An author selected as the title of a new romance, "Wrecked in Port." His publisher looked sharply at the author's red nose, and muttered, "Yes, either Port or Burgundy."

A young man of convivial habits has discovered one good thing about a sea voyage. You can get as tight as you please every day, and everybody thinks you're only sea-sick.

"How many unfortunates have fallen in war!" said a spinster to a veteran general, who was also a veteran bachelor. "Not half so many, madam, as have fallen in love," was his testy reply.

Smiggies says that in his boyhood he used to sing with some spirit, "I want to be an angel," but since he began to play baseball, the very thought of going "out on a fly," makes him shudder.

Somebody asked a Paris editor: Where do you get your intelligence?" "From the papers." "Where do the papers get it?" "From other papers." "But who is the first author of it?" "Nobody."

A box containing a black bear was received at an express office in San Francisco the other day; outside was this inscription: "Black bare. If you don't want to get bit kepe your fingers out of the crax."

Never refuse to attend to your friend's mode of pointing out your error; enter without reserve into his mode of reasoning; the quicker will you succeed in detecting the fallacy, whether it is on your side or his.

The reading of novels is said to have led a boy named "Smith" to run away from his home in Brooklyn. And the moral is of course that no parent having a boy named "Smith" should allow him to read such stuff.

It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion; it is easy in solitude to live after your own, but the great man is he who, in the midst of the crowd, keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude.—*Emerson.*

A gentleman was fretting about the loss of an overcoat and umbrella that had been stolen from his hall, and petulantly said, "Besides, it's such a waste of the articles, for the thief is pretty sure to go at last where he will need neither of them."

There is human nature in a three year old: "What would you do if mamma should die?" asked a lady of her little girl that we wouldn't take a hundred dollars for. "Well," was the melancholy response, "I suppose I would have to spank myself."

At this season of the year cramps and pains in the stomach and bowels, dysentery, diarrhœa, &c., are quite common, and should be checked at once. *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* is the best article that can be used in all such cases, and should be kept in every family.

A Clergyman, accosted by an [illegible] acquaintance by the name of Cobb, remarked, "I don't know you, sir." "My name is Cobb," rejoined the man, who was about seas over. "Ah, sir," said the minister, "you have so much corn on you that I did not see the cob."

Sammy was a little boy, at a school in a village far from his home. One day his father came to see him, and they took a walk together. Meeting the principal of the school, Sammy performed the ceremony of introduction "Mr. S.," said he, "this is a father of mine."

A literary gentleman, a believer in Spiritualism, said that he was himself a subject of spiritual influence, under which he always wrote his articles, thus being, in the work of authorship, a medium. "That," remarked a pleasant friend, "may account for your mediocrity."

A quiet man rang his neighbor's door-bell one night.

"Is the gentleman in?" he asked of the servant.

"I don't know. Did wish to see him particularly?"

"Oh no! I merely wanted to tell him his house is on fire."

Duty is the salt of life. The sense of duty is as necessary a stimulant to the health and enjoyment of our spiritual being as salt is to give flavor to the daily food of man. Without it the world soon becomes utterly vapid and tasteless, without objects to arouse or purposes to attain.

We chew tobacco, the Hindoos lime, and the Patagonians guano. Our children delight in candy, the African in rock salt, while the Esquimaux leaps for a bite of tallow candle. To us, turtles are a savory dish; the Frenchman revels on frogs and snails; other savages, on snakes.

A Gentleman once asked a little girl, an only child, how many sisters she had, and was told "three or four." Her mother asked Mary, when they were alone, what induced her to tell such an untruth. "Why, mama," cried Mary, "I didn't want him to think you were so poor that you hadn't but one child. Wouldn't he thought we were dreffel poor?"

An old gentleman remonstrated with his married son, who did not live on good terms with his wife, on the impropriety of their contentions, since, in the eye of human and divine law, they were one. "I don't know how that may be," replied the young man, "but I'm certain that if you passed our door when we were quarreling, you'd think we were at least twenty."

There is a rumor of a well-known blue-stocking in Paris, who is hard upon sixty years of age, turning pious. She selected a father confessor to avoid all possible scandal, and the other morning took occasion to consult him on an important matter. "Father," she said, softly, trying to blush, "if a man should tell me that he loved me, would I sin in listening to him?" "I am afraid that you would. You must never knowingly lend your ear to falsehood."

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"Do you see that?"

"Yes."

He then covered it with a piece of gold.

"Do you see it now?"

"No."

"I must wish you good-morning, sir," said Mr. Hall, and left him to his meditations.

Jones assumes on coming home to dinner the bearing of an outraged husband. "Why is it, Mrs. Jones, that you ride through Wall street in the very equipage I am struggling to maintain for you at high charge, and cut your husband?" Mrs. Jones at once reassures him. "You certainly would not have your wife, from a five thousand dollar barouche, bow to a man who is at work for a living?"

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Accounts of Timothy McCarty, guardian of Frank C. and Nancy B. Smith, minor children of Jonathan Smith, deceased.

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Account of [illegible] Indians, Guardian of Sydney Johnston, child of David Johnston, dec'd.

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Executrix' Notice.

ESTATE OF JOHN JACKMAN, Deceased.—Letters testamentary to the estate of John Jackman, late of the township of Industry, in the county of Beaver and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, residing in said township, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same to the undersigned without delay.
je26-6w.] JANE JACKMAN, Executrix.

Administration Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Hugh B. Anderson, late of the borough of Beaver, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, to make them known to the undersigned without delay. THANKFUL A. ANDERSON,
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Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, when used with **Dr. Pierce's Nasal Douche,** and accompanied with the constitutional treatment which is recommended in the pamphlet wrapping each bottle of the Remedy, [illegible] loathsome [illegible] faith $500 reward [illegible] The Remedy [illegible] no strong [illegible] Remedy [illegible] by **all Druggists.**

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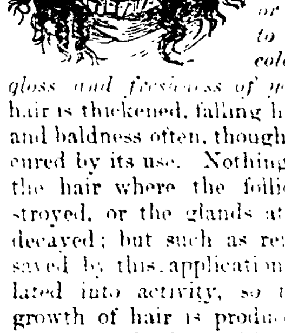
Hair Vigor,
For restoring to Gray Hair its natural Vitality and Color.



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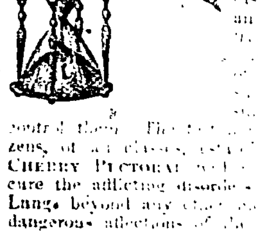

Among the great discoveries of modern science, few are of more real value to mankind than this effectual remedy for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. [illegible] control them. [illegible] zens, of all classes, [illegible] CHERRY PECTORAL will cure the afflicting disorders of the Lungs beyond any [illegible] dangerous affections of the [illegible] yield to its power; and [illegible] Consumption, cured by this preparation are publicly known, so remarkable as [illegible] lieved, were they not [illegible]. As a remedy it is adequate, on which the public may rely for full protection. By curing Coughs, the forerunners of more serious disease, it saves unnumbered lives, and an amount of suffering not to be computed. It challenges trial, and convinces the most sceptical. Every family should keep it on hand as a protection against the early and unperceived attack of Pulmonary Affections, which are easily met at first, but which become incurable, and too often fatal, if neglected. Tender lungs need this defence; and it is unwise to be without it. As a safeguard to children, amid the distressing diseases which beset the Throat and Chest of childhood, CHERRY PECTORAL is invaluable; for, by its timely use, multitudes are rescued from premature graves, and saved to the love and affection centred on them. It acts speedily and surely against ordinary colds, securing sound and health-restoring sleep. No one will suffer troublesome **Influenza** and painful **Bronchitis,** when they know how easily they can be cured.

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